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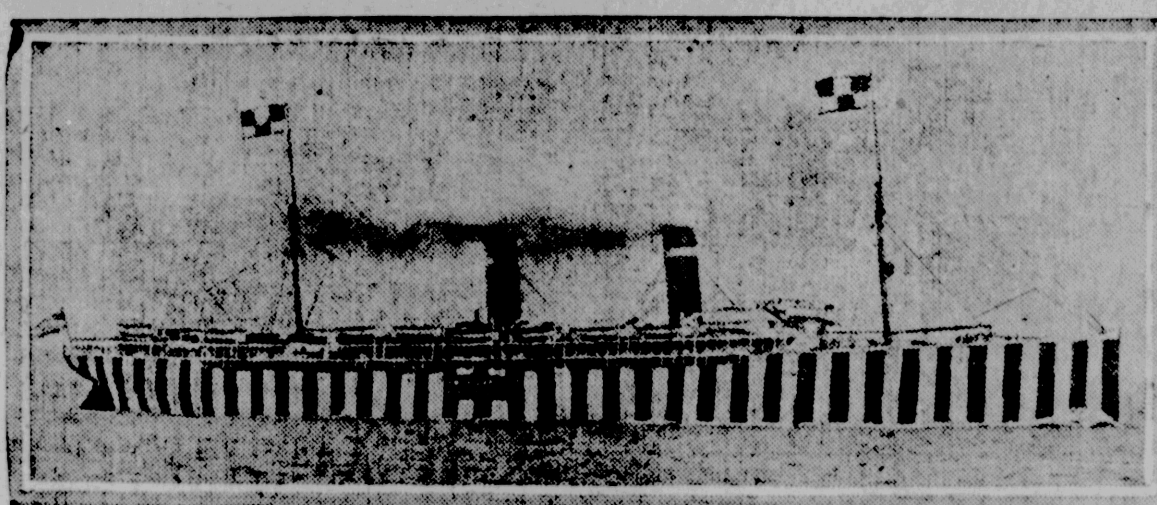
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Meanwhile preparedness preparations were in progress on a gigantic scale. Congressional leaders have assured the president that he can have all of the money he needs for any purpose. Leading bankers in the financial centers of the nation have let it be known that a bond issue of less than half a billion dollars would be absorbed in almost no time. In addition congress was in readiness to pass a score of measures which will aid in the defense such as more stringent neutrality laws, empowering the taking over of private plants for ship building and the like, and all such legislation which in the opinion of the president and his advisers is necessary to place the nation in readiness for any emergency which may arise.

Reports that the American liner Philadelphia has been sunk had no basis in fact. It had been accepted that for five days ending at midnight tonight all merchant vessels in transit would be protected and if attacked at all subjected to cruiser warfare.

Officials made it plain that they expected many rumors would be current of vessel sinking and abridgment of American rights. But they also declared there would be no jumping at conclusions and no additional action by the president until official word had been received of any new facts in the crisis.

The situation so far as it affected Austria still was a puzzle to officials. Austria is to act in concert with her ally, Germany, and undertake unrestricted submarine warfare then the new Austrian ambassador will not be received but will be requested to return home with Ambassador von Bernstorff. Secretary Lansing has been in receipt of several communications from Ambassador Penfield but up to the present time he has withheld their contents. Some officials have held that it would not be necessary to break with Austria at this time.

Count von Bernstorff remained quietly at the German embassy awaiting the completion of arrangements for his transfer home. The Entente Powers will grant safe conduct, officials say. But with the holding up of all Dutch and Norwegian merchant travel from the United States the task of securing a steamer on which to send the ambassador and his suite home is a difficult one.

The White House was deluged by telegrams from all over the country commending the president's course. In many instances tenders of their services were made, by former officers of the army and navy and of the militia. Those offers were turned over to the departments and filed for action if needed. American manufacturers also were rising to the de-

mands of the nation. From plants everywhere and of every nature came assurances that they were at the service of the nation in the present emergency. This was especially true of steel manufacturers, automobile constructors and the various munition plants.

All of the resources of the Red Cross are being mobilized. State organizations have been directed to be ready for any call that may be put upon them.

It is expected that the navy department will call back into service many of the retired officers who have resigned. They will be detailed for service at navy yards and for other shore duty, thus releasing for service on shipboard officers held down by routine duty. In this manner officers can be secured for the reserve fleet.

No information about naval matters was forthcoming. The naval censorship was working with clockwork precision and the majority of the newspaper correspondents in the capital were working in unison with the department to keep secret the movements of vessels. It is sufficient to say that both on the Atlantic and the Pacific the fleet is ready and the spirit of the men never was better.

It is understood that at the conferences arranged by the president and Secretary Daniels it was decided it would be unwise to convey American liners at present. The president still hopes that Germany will realize the seriousness with which the American people have approached the present critical situation and will respect the rights of the United States.

But if this is not done, then the administration is well prepared for the next step. And it is violating no confidence to say that the ammunition magazines of the American fleet are filled and the spirit of officers and men never was better.

Many wild rumors affecting both the army and the navy are in circulation. Investigation usually disproves them. It is to be the policy of the government not to dignify many of these wild denials but to let them die a natural death.

So far as the steps that have been taken to guard American citizens and property are concerned it is agreed by those officials who are responsible for them that they are "progressing speedily." Every possible crisis has been foreseen, it is stated, and the "men on the ground" have authority to act on their own initiative.

The various Entente diplomats here continue confident that the United States yet will have to take part in the war. Discussion as to what part the resources of this government would play takes a wide range. But it is entirely speculation. The position of the United States was enunciated by Secretary of War Baker to business men from Cleveland who called on him yesterday when he said:

"We are between two breaths here. We have taken one breath and are wondering whether we will have to take the other. We are hoping for the best."

"I'M AN AMERICAN" SAYS LINER CAPTAIN

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 6.—Captain Julius Gebauer, commander of the interned Hamburg-American liner Pennsylvania, will become a citizen of the United States. He made this announcement today following orders from the immigration bureau which prevented men from interned ships leaving their vessels.

"Hereafter I'm an American," said the German captain, as he made preparations for filing his first application for citizenship.

TWO LINERS SAFE IN LIVERPOOL

The Philadelphia and the Finland Passed Through the Restricted Zone—Philadelphia Delayed by a Broken Crank Shaft.

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New York, Feb. 5.—The American liner Philadelphia has arrived safely in Liverpool according to advices received here by the American Line today.

The Philadelphia arrived at Liverpool at 11 o'clock last night after having been delayed on her voyage by a broken crank shaft.

The Finland of the American Line arrived safely in Liverpool at 8 o'clock this morning, officials here were notified.

Both of these vessels have passed through the restricted zone since Germany's announcement of her submarine warfare. Among the passengers on the Philadelphia were Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and Captain Roald Amundsen, explorer.

PREPAREDNESS IS NOT HYSTERIA

Judge Clearwater Believes in Preparedness but Opposes "The Conjuror of Phantasmal Dangers."

The entire country has been aroused by the severance of diplomatic relations between Germany and the United States, and the leading newspapers and prominent men of all parties heartily have endorsed the action of the President in handing Count von Bernstorff his passports and recalling Ambassador Gerard. Kingston, as was to be expected from its history and traditions, cordially supports the president, and Judge Clearwater, President of the Kingston Branch of the National Security League, on Sunday afternoon issued a call for a public meeting to be held Tuesday evening, which is printed in full in another column.

To the Freeman the judge said that he did not apprehend any immediate disturbance either in the city of the county, although he admitted he had received several calls during the day from prominent citizens of the city who fear any outbreak of hostilities between Germany and this country would instantly be followed by the wrecking of the Ashokan dam, the flooding of the Esopus valley and the city, the blowing up of the West Shore bridge over the Rondout at Wilbur and the Walkkill Valley bridge over the stream at Rosendale, and that these gentlemen had requested him to lead a movement for a mass meeting of citizens to be held at the court house Monday morning to organize a citizens committee to consider the possibility of that danger. Judge Clearwater declined to do this. He expressed the opinion that there was no immediate occasion for alarm, and said that he had concluded as president of the Kingston branch of the National Security League to call a meeting of that body at the court house on Tuesday evening to take such steps as might then be advisable.

"Of course," said the judge to the Freeman reporter, "I realize it is easy both to underestimate and overestimate the embarrassment and dangers of the situation. I am in favor of being prepared, but opposed to the conjuration of phantasmal dangers. The Kingston branch of the National Security League numbers many of the patriotic, broadminded, determined and conservative citizens of Kingston and not only are they invited to attend the meeting, but every other citizen of the city and county who is willing to unite with the League is cordially invited to come."

Astor on Patrol Duty.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—Quick to answer to needs of his country, Vincent Astor, one of the wealthiest of young Americans, spent Sunday patrolling one of the East River bridges. Garbed in the regulation uniform of the Naval Militia, young Astor faced the biting harbor winds and did his bit along with "John Doe," who drives a truck when he isn't doing militia duty.

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Suggestion That They Follow the Lead of the United States and Break off Diplomatic Relations With Germany is Being Considered.

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London, Feb. 5.—President Wilson's suggestion that all neutral countries break off diplomatic relations with Germany is now under consideration by practically all of the neutral governments, according to dispatches received here today.

The government most likely to take action upon the suggestion is Spain, it was reliably reported here. Spain's reply to Germany's declaration of a ruthless submarine war is to be made public today, says a Madrid despatch. It is believed to be a strong protest—almost an ultimatum in fact.

Holland's Trying Position.

The Hague, Feb. 5.—Doubt was expressed here today that Holland would follow the suggestion of President Wilson that all neutrals break off diplomatic relations with Germany.

Holland is in a trying position and the government is moving with slowness and caution. Cabinet members are maintaining a discreet silence.

Shipping companies have been warned by the government to send out their vessels at their own risk and only a few freighters have departed since Germany's submarine declaration went into effect. An effective blockade by Germany would be a commercial calamity for Holland, but nowhere is the fear expressed that this country will go to war against Germany unless the latter country commits some act that is now unforeseen.

NERVOUS TONE IN STOCK MARKET

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New York, Feb. 5.—The stock market opened with a nervous tone today, first prices showing gains of from 2 to 3 points in all the leading issues. After the opening a reaction set in which caused stocks to lose half of their gains, with the exception of the shipping stocks, which continued their strong tone.

Central Leather rose 3 1/2 to 78 1/2, but later reacted to 77. Bethlehem Steel opened up 15 points at 415. The shipping issues were weak the start with Atlantic Gulf and West Indies showing a loss of 2 1/2 at 94 1/2, but buying orders quickly forced it up to 98. Marine Common declined 3/4 to 21 1/4, and the preferred a point to 65 1/4. Anaconda was strong all through the early trading, and rose 2 1/2 points to 75 1/4. Some of the railway issues were established at higher levels. Wabash A Preferred rose 2 1/2 to 59, and fractional gains were made in Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and Erie. American Smelting rose 1 1/4 to 98.

GERMAN SAILORS VIRTUAL PRISONERS

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New York, Feb. 5.—Hundreds of German sailors on interned vessels in New York and Hoboken are virtually prisoners today. Orders issued from the department of labor in Washington forbade any German sailor from leaving his vessel until he had first satisfied immigration regulations.

Since declaration of the diplomatic break the crews of the thirty-one Central Powers vessels in port here have been leaving their ships. The order of the immigration authorities put a check to this.

Simultaneously with the issuance of the orders there appeared on the docks of the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd lines were 275 additional patrolmen and the neutrality guard maintained by the federal authorities was also increased. Later the extra guard was recalled.

Accident at West Park.

While coasting down the hill west of West Park station, Oswald Laymel lost control of his sled and ran into a cut of slated rock in front of Mr. Quirk's house. Mr. Laymel was picked up by Mr. Darbee and Mr. Travis, when he was removed to Mr. Travis' home. Drs. Rose and Rivenburgh were summoned at once and he was taken to the Kingston City Hospital on the 6:49 p. m. train, where he is now suffering from a fractured skull and broken shoulder. At this writing he is resting as well as can be expected.

GAVE HOUSATONIC HOUR'S WARNING

U-Boat Captain Takes Care of Crew—Cargo of Wheat Was Contraband—No Lives Lost.

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London, Feb. 5.—The crew of the American steamship Housatonic, which was sunk Saturday off the Scilly Islands, has been landed at Penzance, England. She received full warning and her crew in boats were towed by the submarine for an hour and a half toward the land.

Washington, Feb. 5.—"No overt act" which can be regarded as a cause for war between this country and Germany is to be found in the torpedoing of the Housatonic, high officials held Sunday, after reading a preliminary report from Joseph G. Stephens, consul at Plymouth, England.

The vital facts in this message are that the Housatonic was warned before being sunk and efforts were made by the commander of the submarine to put the crew to a place of safety. The Housatonic's cargo of wheat for the British government would be contraband under any interpretation of international law.

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Naval militiamen were stationed yesterday on all of the bridges crossing the East River. Two thousand police officers have been appointed to guard the subway systems. Hundreds of public service employees are guarding the city's water supply.

Private watchmen have been added in most of the larger shipping houses.

AMERICAN CAPTIVES TO BE RELEASED

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Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—Preparations have been made for the departure of the 72 Americans brought into port on the German prize ship Yarrowdale, says a dispatch from Berlin today.

The release of the American prisoners was ordered by the German government on Sunday in response to a demand made by the American state department.

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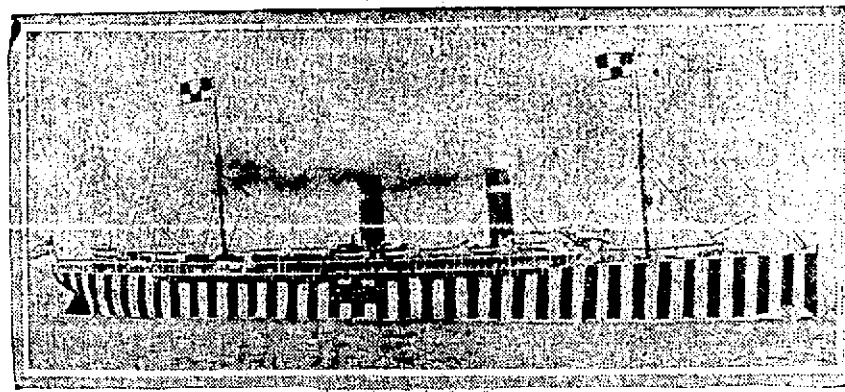
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Measures preparedness preparations were in progress on a gigantic scale. Congressional leaders have assured the president that he can have all of the money he needs for any purpose. Leading bankers in the financial centers of the nation have let it be known that a bond issue of at least half a billion dollars would be absorbed in almost no time. In addition congress was in readiness to pass a score of measures which would aid in the defense such as more stringent neutrality laws, empowering the taking over of private plants for ship building and the like, and all such legislation which in the opinion of the president and his advisers is necessary to place the nation in readiness for any emergency which may arise.

Reports that the American liner Philadelphia has been sunk had no basis in fact. It had been accepted that for five days ending at midnight tonight all merchant vessels in transit would be protected and it attacked at all subjected to cruiser warfare.

Officials made it plain that they expected many rumors would be current of vessel sinking and abridgment of American rights. But they also declared there would be no jumping at conclusions and no additional action by the president until official word had been received of any new facts in the crisis.

The situation so far as it affected Austria still was a puzzle to officials. If Austria is to act in concert with her ally, Germany, and undertake unrestricted submarine warfare then the new Austrian ambassador will not be received but will be requested to return home with Ambassador von Bernstorff. Secretary Lansing has been in receipt of several communications from Ambassador Penfield but up to the present time he has withheld their contents. Some officials have held that it would not be necessary to break with Austria at this time.

Count von Bernstorff remained quietly at the German embassy awaiting the completion of arrangements for his transfer home. The Entente Powers will grant safe conduct, officials say. But with the holding up of all Dutch and Norwegian merchant travel from the United States the task of securing a steamer on which to send the ambassador and his suite home is a difficult one.

The White House was deluged by telegrams from all over the country commending the president's course. In many instances tenders of their services were made, by former officers of the army and navy and of the militia. These offers were turned over to the departments and filed for action if needed. American manufacturers also were rising to the de-

mands of the nation. From plants everywhere and of every nature came assurances that they were at the service of the nation in the present emergency. This was especially true of steel manufacturers, automobile constructors and the various munition plants.

All of the resources of the Red Cross are being mobilized. State organizations have been directed to be ready for any call that may be put upon them.

It is expected that the navy department will call back into service many of the retired officers who have resigned. They will be detailed for service at navy yards and for other shore duty, thus releasing for service on shipboard officers held down by routine duty. In this manner officers can be secured for the reserve fleet.

No information about naval matters was forthcoming. The naval censorship was working with clockwork precision and the majority of the newspaper correspondents in the capital were working in unison with the department to keep secret the movements of vessels. It is sufficient to say that both on the Atlantic and the Pacific the fleet is ready and the spirit of the men never was better.

It is understood that at the conference arranged by the president and Secretary Daniels it was decided it would be unwise to convey American liners at present. The president still hopes that Germany will realize the seriousness with which the American people have approached the present critical situation and that if this is not done, then the administration is well prepared for the next step. And it is violating no confidence to say that the ammunition magazines of the American fleet are filled and the spirit of officers and men never was better.

Many wild rumors affecting both the army and the navy are in circulation. Investigation usually disproves them. It is to be the policy of the government not to dignify many of these with denials but to let them die a natural death.

So far as the steps that have been taken to guard American citizens and property are concerned it is agreed by those officials who are responsible for them that they are "progressing speedily." Every possible crisis has been foreseen, it is stated, and the "men on the ground" have authority to act on their own initiative.

The various Entente diplomats here continue confident that the United States yet will have to take part in the war. Discussion as to what part the resources of this government would play takes a wide range. But it is entirely speculation. The position of the United States was enunciated by Secretary of War Baker to business men from Cleveland who called on him yesterday when he said:

"We are between two breaths here. We have taken one breath and are wondering whether we will have to take the other. We are hoping for the best."

"I'M AN AMERICAN" SAYS LINER CAPTAIN

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—Captain Julius Gebauer, commander of the interned Hamburg-American liner Pennsylvania, will become a citizen of the United States. He made this announcement today following orders from the immigration bureau which prevented him from leaving the ship leaving their vessels.

"Hereafter I'm an American," said the German captain, as he made preparations for filing his first application for citizenship.

TWO LINERS SAFE IN LIVERPOOL

The Philadelphia and the Pinand Passed Through the Restricted Zone—Philadelphia Delayed by a Broken Crank Shaft.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—The American liner Philadelphia has arrived safely in Liverpool according to advices received here by the American Line today.

The Philadelphia arrived at Liverpool at 11 o'clock last night after having been delayed on her voyage by a broken crank shaft.

The Pinand of the American Line arrived safely in Liverpool at 8 o'clock this morning, officials here were notified.

Both of these vessels have passed through the restricted zone since Germany's announcement of her submarine warfare. Among the passengers on the Philadelphia were Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and Captain Roald Amundsen, explorer.

PREPAREDNESS IS NOT HYSTERIA

Judge Clearwater Believes in Preparedness but Opposes "The Conjuror of Phantasmal Dangers."

The entire country has been aroused by the severance of diplomatic relations between Germany and the United States, and the leading newspapers and prominent men of all parties heartily have endorsed the action of the President in handing Count Von Bernstorff his passports and recalling Ambassador Gerard.

Kingston, as was to be expected from its history and traditions, cordially supports the president, and Judge Clearwater, President of the Kingston Branch of the National Security League, on Sunday afternoon issued a call for a public meeting to be held Tuesday evening, which is printed in full in another column.

To the Freeman the judge said that he did not apprehend any immediate disturbance either in the city of the county, although he admitted he had received several calls during the day from prominent citizens of the city who fear any outbreak of hostilities between Germany and this country would instantly be followed by the wrecking of the Ashokan dam, the flooding of the Esopus valley and the city, the blowing up of the West Shore bridge over the Houdout at Wilbur and the Walkhill Valley bridge over the stream at Rosendale, and that these gentlemen had requested him to lead a movement for a mass meeting of citizens to be held at the court house Monday morning to organize a citizens committee to consider the possibility of that danger. Judge Clearwater declined to do this. He expressed the opinion that there was no immediate occasion for alarm, and said that he had concluded as president of the Kingston branch of the National Security League to call a meeting of that body at the court house on Tuesday evening to take such steps as might then be advisable.

"Of course," said the judge to The Freeman reporter, "I realize it is easy both to underestimate and overestimate the embarrassment and dangers of the situation. I am in favor of being prepared, but opposed to the conjuration of phantasmal dangers. The Kingston branch of the National Security League numbers many of the patriotic, broadminded, determined and conservative citizens of Kingston, and not only are they invited to attend the meeting, but every other citizen of the city and county who is willing to unite with the League is cordially invited to come."

Accident at West Park.

While coasting down the hill west of West Park station, Oswald Laymeil lost control of his sled and ran into a cut of slated rock in front of Mr. Quick's house. Mr. Laymeil was picked up by Mr. Darbee and Mr. Travis, when he was removed to Mr. Travis's home. Drs. Rose and Rieckenbach were summoned at once and he was taken to the Kingston City Hospital on the 6:49 p. m. train, where he is now suffering from a fractured skull and broken shoulder. At this writing he is resting as well as can be expected.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 3.—Quick to answer to needs of his country, Vincent Astor, one of the wealthiest of young Americans, spent Sunday patrolling one of the East River bridges. Caught in the regulation uniform of the Naval Militia, young Astor faced the biting harbor winds and did his bit along with "John Doe," who drives a truck when he isn't doing militia duty.

WILSON HAS APPEALED TO ALL NEUTRAL NATIONS

Suggestion That They Follow the Lead of the United States and Break off Diplomatic Relations With Germany is Being Considered.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

London, Feb. 5.—President Wilson's suggestion that all neutral countries break off diplomatic relations with Germany is now under consideration by practically all of the neutral governments, according to dispatches received here today.

The government most likely to take action upon the suggestion is Spain, it was reliably reported here.

Spain's reply to Germany's declaration of a ruthless submarine war is to be made public today, says a Madrid despatch. It is believed to be a strong protest—almost an ultimatum in fact.

Holland's Trying Position.

The Hague, Feb. 5.—Doubt was expressed here today that Holland would follow the suggestion of President Wilson that all neutrals break off diplomatic relations with Germany.

Holland is in a trying position and the government is moving with slowness and caution. Cabinet members are maintaining a discreet silence.

Shipping companies have been warned by the government to send out their vessels at their own risk and only a few freighters have departed since Germany's submarine declaration went into effect.

An effective blockade by Germany would be a commercial calamity for Holland, but nowhere is the fear expressed that this country will go to war against Germany unless the latter country commits some act that is now unforeseen.

NERVOUS TONE IN STOCK MARKET

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—The stock market opened with a nervous tone today, first prices showing gains of from 2 to 3 points in all the leading issues. After the opening a reaction set in which caused stocks to lose half of their gains, with the exception of the shipping stocks, which continued their strong tone.

Central Leather rose 3 1/2 to 78 1/2, but later reacted to 77. Bethlehem Steel opened up 15 points at 415. The shipping issues were weak the start with Atlantic Gulf and West Indies showing a loss of 3 1/2 at 91 1/2, but buying orders quickly forced it up to 98. Marine Common declined 3 1/2 to 21 1/2, and the preferred a point to 21 1/2. Anaconda was strong all through the early trading, and rose 2 1/2 points to 75 1/2. Some of the railway issues were established at higher levels. Wabash A Preferred rose 2 1/2 to 50, and fractional gains were made in Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and Erie. American Smelting rose 1 1/2 to 98.

GERMAN SAILORS VIRTUAL PRISONERS

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—Hundreds of German sailors on interned vessels in New York and Hoboken are virtually prisoners today. Orders issued from the department of labor in Washington forbade any German sailor from leaving his vessel until he had first satisfied immigration regulations.

Since declaration of the diplomatic break the crews of the thirty-one Central Powers vessels in port here have been leaving their ships. The order of the immigration authorities put a check to this.

Simultaneously with the issuance of the orders there appeared on the docks of the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd lines here 275 additional patrolmen and the neutrality guard maintained by the federal authorities was also increased. Later the extra guard was recalled.

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GAVE HOUSATONIC HOUR'S WARNING

U-Boat Captain Takes Care of Crew—Cargo of Wheat Was Contraband—No Lives Lost.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

London, Feb. 5.—The crew of the American steamship Housatonic, which was sunk Saturday off the Scilly Islands, has been landed at Penzance, England. She received full warning and her crew in boats were towed by the submarine for an hour and a half toward the land.

Washington, Feb. 5.—"No overt act" which can be regarded as a cause for war between this country and Germany is to be found in the torpedoing of the Housatonic, high officials held Sunday, after reading a preliminary report from Joseph G. Stephens, consul at Plymouth, England.

The vital facts in this message are that the Housatonic was warned before being sunk and efforts were made by the commander of the submarine to put the crew to a place of safety. The Housatonic's cargo of wheat for the British government would be contraband under any interpretation of international law.

GUARDSMEN PATROL NEW YORK CITY

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—The atmosphere of war is apparent in New York today. With National Guardsmen and police patrolling all strategic points, every effort is being made to protect the city from the acts of fanatics.

All night long strong searchlights played over the city, flashing upon the bridges and up and down the harbor. Armed tugs patrol the harbor night and day and heavy guards are thrown out along the water front.

Naval militiamen were stationed yesterday on all of the bridges crossing the East River. Two thousand police officers have been appointed to guard the subway systems. Hundreds of public service employees are guarding the city's water supply.

Private watchmen have been added in most of the larger shipping houses.

AMERICAN CAPTIVES TO BE RELEASED

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—Preparations have been made for the departure of the 72 Americans brought into port on the German prize ship Yarrowdale, says a dispatch from Berlin today.

The release of the American prisoners was ordered by the German government on Sunday in response to demand made by the American state department.

The exact number of American captives on the Yarrowdale is uncertain. Cablegrams place the number at 72 but the Washington dispatches indicate that there are fewer than this number.

ST. LOUIS WILL NOT SAIL TODAY

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—The American liner St. Louis will not sail for Liverpool today. Despite announcement to this effect was made this morning. It is understood that officials of the line will not allow the vessel to sail until they are advised to do so by the state department.

Announcement was made by the American Line today that the liner New York sailed from Liverpool at 5:30 Saturday afternoon with 110 first cabin passengers, 67 second cabin passengers and 34 third class passengers.

Doings of the Van Loons—No, Father isn't the only one who is Wise to the Law.



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PEACOCK TO GO
TO JERSEY CITY

Evangelist L. K. Peacock, who is holding a series of revival services in the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle, has accepted an invitation to hold similar meetings in Jersey City, starting April 22, while the Rev. Billy Sunday is holding services in New York City. Dr. Peacock is in Jersey City today arranging plans for the proposed campaign. During the early weeks of Kingston's first tabernacle campaign a delegation of ministers and laymen from the churches in Jersey City attended services at the tabernacle which led later to the invitation being extended to Evangelist Peacock and his party. The campaign in Kingston, which is proving a bigger success than expected, will close Sunday with three services, morning, afternoon and evening.

WEST PARK.

West Park, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. George C. Seelye of Rochester are visiting the Rev. and Mrs. Richard C. Searing at the rectory of Ascension Church.

Mrs. Richard C. Searing has been very ill for over two weeks. For one week she was under the care of Miss Rhoda Russell of Kingston and the second week under the care of Miss Harriet Gridley of Scottsville, N. Y.

Miss Alida Horst, recently ill with the grip, is improving. Mrs. Nathan Ackhart, of Clinton-dale has been taken to the Benedictine Sanitarium for an operation; in which hospital also Miss Helen Mitchell of West Park is ill of the quinsy.

Mrs. Watson of Elmhurst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atkins, is visiting her parents and her sister, Miss Eliza J. Burroughs, who has recently returned from a two weeks' visit in Kingston.

Luke Conner is making slow progress with the cellar of his new bungalow.

The festival of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Presentation of Christ in the Temple was commemorated by the celebration of the holy communion in Ascension Church at 10 a. m.

It is intended that the work of the Woman's Auxiliary in Ascension parish will begin on Thursday, February 8, with a meeting and short missionary service at the home of Mrs. H. Hudson Covert. Meeting is called at 2:30, the service will probably be at 3, with conference on the present year's plans.

NEW PALTZ.

New Paltz, Feb. 5.—Madame Alma Webster Powell, who won much favor here last season with her lecture and concert, will again appear at the Normal Tuesday evening, February 6. Those who heard the recital last year will doubtless attend this season and everyone will make the most of such an opportunity.

Considerable interest has been shown in constructing the New Paltz-Highland turnpike into a state highway. Bruyn Hasbrouck, a prominent merchant, and J. H. Vanderlyn, the lawyer, are interested in the transaction.

Famous Skater as Judge.

Joseph F. Donoghue, holder of all skating records from 30 to 100 miles, and former world's champion skater, will return to Newburgh, his native town, on Lincoln's Birthday, the date of the Eastern Outdoor Speed Skating Championships. He will act as one of the judges of the events. In an effort to bring forth another champion who will carry Newburgh's name all over the country, "Joe" will offer, commencing next year, a medal for the champion school boy skater of Newburgh.

Bonus for Brickmakers.

The Rose Brick Company of Roseton has declared a special bonus for employees to be distributed over the next five months. The bonus is designed to help employees meet the rising cost of living. The bonus amounts to \$10 a month for married men and \$5 a month for single men. The total amount for the five months will be \$50 and \$25 respectively.

To Clean Up Orange County.

District Attorney Hirschberg has announced his intention to begin a vice crusade in Orange county in accordance with his campaign promises.

Raised \$1,500 Tag Day.

Canvassers for the Jewish People's Relief raised \$1,500 through their tag day in Newburgh Thursday.

ONE MILITARY INSTRUCTOR.

Harold Lent to Hold New Office in Lloyd, New Paltz and Esopus.

Harold Lent, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lent, who has been practicing law for the past three years in Newburgh, has been appointed military training supervisor and physical instructor of all the schools included in the territory of Lloyd, New Paltz and Esopus. Mr. Lent began his new duties Friday. Mr. Lent was graduated from West Point in 1912, previous to which he studied law in Union College. He was admitted to the bar a number of years ago and has been practicing since on Second street. He is a member of the firm of A. D. & A. W. Lent. The appointment came through the district superintendent and board of education. Although the new position will take up a great deal of Mr. Lent's time, he does not intend to give up his law practice. He will return to Newburgh every Saturday. The position of military training supervisor has been made necessary because of the new law making physical training compulsory in the grade schools.

PLATTEKILL.

Plattekill, Feb. 6.—Bills have been posted throughout the village, of the auction to be held on Ronk's farm, situated in this village, when the farm, household furniture, farm animals, farm implements and produce will be disposed of. The sale starts February 8 at 12 o'clock sharp, with William Brush of Newburgh as auctioneer. The farm will be sold at 2 o'clock and consists of 22½ acres of rich, tillable land; fine apple trees in full bearing, mostly Baldwin, about 200 in number, being a noteworthy factor. The buildings are in good condition, ten ten-room house, two large barns, blacksmith house, garage and other farm buildings. Place can be inspected any time previous to the sale. Mr. Ronk and family expect to leave Plattekill the early part of March and move to Orange Lake, where they will conduct grocery business. Their friends wish them success in their new enterprise.

A farce entitled "The Suffrage Convention," will be held in the Methodist Church Friday evening, February 16, at 8 o'clock.

A social will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lowry, February 22, under the auspices of the Epworth League members.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. William Nabor, Tuesday afternoon, February 6.

Mrs. William Elliott of Carson avenue, Newburgh, N. Y., visited her brother, Harry Gerow, who is ill, at his home in this place.

Friday, Candlemas Day, being clear, the shadow of the bear or ground hog must have been discernible. Therefore, we are entitled to six weeks more of winter weather. If Friday and Saturday were samples of the weather, it would be advisable if we followed the bear's example.

Julian Greenfield is spending several days in New York city on business.

CHICHESTER.

Chichester, Feb. 5.—Mrs. James Lane of this village was operated on for appendicitis last Tuesday by Dr. Frederick Snyder at Wauna Sanitarium. The operation was successful and Mrs. Lane is improving.

Mrs. Willard Quick of Lake Hill spent Monday with Mrs. R. R. Bennett here.

S. B. Schwarzwaldier made a business trip to Kingston Friday.

The two small sons of Harold Kelsey were injured while coasting on Sunshine Hill in this place on Thursday. Dr. Gross was called and tended them.

This is the fourth successive week that revival meetings have been held at the Baptist Church. On Friday night the Tiskilwa Band was present and played several pieces.

Mrs. Colvin of Kingston is visiting her son, Frank Colvin, of this place.

Mrs. Burrell Schwarzwaldier spent a day or two with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Townshend, of Fleischmanns, recently.

Several from this place attended the oyster supper held at the Lanesville House one evening last week.

Water Instead of Oil.

Walden taxpayers are agitating for the return to water sprinkling of the streets to take the place of oil treatment.

Needed Invention.

A Chicago professor advocates the use of typewriters by public school children, but he must have overlooked the fact that as yet no one has invented one with a correct grammar attachment.

MATTERS BEFORE
THE SURROGATE

The will of Elizabeth H. Smith of this city has been admitted to probate by Surrogate Gill in the surrogate's court. To her son, Robert J. Smith, the testatrix bequeaths the sum of \$50 and the family Bible; to his wife, Margaret Smith, \$20 and personal effects; to her son, Harvey Smith, \$150; to her grandsons, Warmington Smith, Robert Smith and Thomas Smith, \$15 each; the balance of the estate is given to her son, Thomas H. Smith, who is appointed executor. The will was executed June 20, 1916, and witnessed by Robert G. Groves and Mrs. Mary Mackey. The value of the real estate is \$1,200 and the personal property amounts to \$700. Robert G. Groves appeared for the executor.

The will of John Sinnott of Saugerties was filed and a citation for its probate was issued returnable February 19. The testator gives his estate to his wife Annie Sinnott, whom he appoints executrix. The will was executed May 7, 1915, and witnessed by Corporation Counsel William D. Brin- nian of this city and Michael McCarthy of Saugerties. The value of the real estate is \$8,000 and the personal property amounts to \$1,000. Brinnian & Canfield appeared for the executrix.



(Baron Sato.)

Washington, Feb. 5.—Considerable uneasiness is felt in administration circles as a result of the visit to the state department of Count Sato, the Japanese Ambassador, where he conversed with Solicitor Frank Polk regarding anti-alien land owning bills pending in the legislatures of Idaho and Oregon. It is considered significant that Ambassador Sato took occasion to call at the state department at the very time when a diplomatic rupture with Germany over submarine warfare seemed imminent. Senator Borah, of Idaho, after a conference with Solicitor Polk, sent a telegram to the senate of his state saying that the bill pending had caused the government "deep concern" and urging that the administration be not "embarrassed at this critical hour."

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed matter advertised at Kingston, N. Y. Week ending February 5, 1917:

Bamford, John
Barley, Edward G.
Benedict, Frederick M.
Benson, Mrs. Maud A.
Boice, Len
Boyce, Beale A.
Burhans, George
Carl, Eugene
Coons, Mrs. W. D.
Fraser, J. O.
Hamm, W. R.
Hughes, Wm.
Humiston, Howard
Jamieson, Rev. J. M.
Lorech, Charles
Lutz, Charles
Leonardo, Vito Cascio
Mohns, Mr.
Nelson, Betty M.
Schley, Alfred
Tietler, Mrs. Mary
Weill, Henry

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Stuffed Cabbage.—With a small amount of cold, cooked chicken and a little cooked rice a most savory dish may be prepared. Take a small, loose cabbage head. Scald it, and when the leaves are limp, open the cabbage and put two tablespoonsful of the mixture in the center, then fold over the leaves and put another layer outside these leaves; continue until the cabbage is well filled. Tie it up in a piece of cheesecloth and put it into a kettle of boiling salted water. Cook until tender, drain and serve with a Hollandaise sauce, or with a sour cream sauce.

Other meat, such as well-seasoned sausage or chopped meat, may be used in place of chicken.

Tomato Cocktail.—Prepare six peppers as directed above. Have ready four peeled tomatoes cut in halves, squeeze out the seed; chop fine one onion, put it in a cloth and wash well with cold water, wringing it out dry. Cut the tomatoes in cubes, add the onion, half fill the peppers, cover with French dressing, dust the top with chopped parsley and serve.

Large, white stalks of celery stuffed with finely chopped nuts and cream cheese may be attractively placed, spoke fashion, on a plate, with a garnish of radishes cut in the form of tulips, using parsley to make the garnish more attractive.

Italian Polenta.—This sounds quite foreign, but is nothing more than the old-fashioned corn mush, made as our grandmothers used to make it, stirring into it a beaten egg, some butter, and, if liked, a little grated cheese. Then put into square tins to mold. Wet the tins in cold water and pour in the mush. When stiff, it may be cut in slices and fried, and no dish is more appetizing served with or without sirup.

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TIME TABLE OF ULSTER & DELAWARE RR IN EFFECT SEPT. 10, 1916. Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

Rondout Sta., 10:25, 6:30 a. m., 12:10 p. m.
Union Sta., 11:05, 6:50 a. m., 12:40 p. m.
Trains are due to arrive as follows:
Union Sta., 11:35 a. m., 6:15, 11:10 p. m.
Rondout Sta., 11:55 a. m., 6:35, 11:30 p. m.
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For the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1916, interest was credited Jan. 1st, 1917, at 4 per cent per annum. Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest. Money deposited on or before February 3rd and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1917, will be credited with five (5) months' interest.

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We continue the sale of Standard Corsets this week at ONE-HALF PRICE and LESS. Good styles yet remain, in broken size assortment of Froloset, Nemo, Gussard, C. B. Bon Ton and Royal Worcester, mostly discontinued models. There will be fittings where necessary—BUT NO RETURNS.

Buy Suits Now at 1-2 Price

There still remains an excellent assortment of Suits, in poplins, gabardines and broadcloths, all high class suits, were \$25.00 to \$35.00. To close out at one-half price.

Silk Waist Sale

25 Silk Waists offered in this lot, including Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Silk Marquissette, Silk Nets, Silk Lace and Chiffon; sizes 30 to 42; worth up to \$6.95, to be closed out at\$3.50

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This is a lot of wide Lace Flouncings, All Over Nets, Silk All Overs Beaded Nets, in widths from 18 to 45 inches wide and sold as high as \$2.50 yard; all lengths from 2 yards to 16 yards to be closed out before inventory at a sacrifice25c and 39c yard

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SHERIFF READY TO MEET TROUBLE

Sheriff Edgar T. Shultis is ready with a force of 200 deputies to rush to the scene of any disorder in case assistance of the county authorities is needed. The deputies have been notified to be ready for quick action and should trouble start in any part of the county the men will be moved to the scene within a very short time.

In order to provide equipment for the guards Sheriff Shultis and Under Sheriff Scott Hornbeck have made a list of all firearms in the city which would be available to arm the deputies and guards in case trouble should develop.

On Sunday the Sheriff notified the New York authorities that he was ready to co-operate with them in guarding the Ashokan reservoir and would be able to supply men to patrol the watershed if needed but up until late today no word had been received of need for assistance.

When asked this morning as to the situation in the county Under Sheriff Hornbeck stated that he had no fear of any trouble in Ulster county unless it was from some crank who might try and do some harm to property. The Ashokan dam and watershed is one of the important points in the county and the sheriff is ready to give any assistance necessary to protect it from harm. Although in Dutchess county deputies have been sworn in to help protect railroad property no call has been received by the Ulster county authorities for any assistance. All railroad property is being protected by railroad employees and a special guard has been established to prevent accident.

Both Sheriff Shultis and Under Sheriff Hornbeck were at the office all day ready for any trouble which might arise.

PERSHING'S FORCES OUT OF MEXICO

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 5.—General Pershing's expedition which went into Mexico on March 15, 1916, "to capture Villa dead or alive," marched back into the United States today, cheered by a crowd of several thousand, and according to reports received from points near Columbus. The army censorship at Columbus over telegraph and telephone wires prevented immediate direct communication with the border town.

Kyserike Cows Are High.

Among sales of pure bred Holstein-Friesian cattle at Poughkeepsie Friday was one by Sanford A. Cross of Kyserike, of Princess Castine Tiranica, 2d, which was sold to H. D. Fraleigh of Red Hook for \$305. Mr. Cross also sold a heifer, Princess Tiranica, to Mr. Fraleigh for \$235. R. Trowbridge of Kyserike sold a show heifer to G. M. Harvey of Hudson for \$150. Among the buyers at the sale was Jesse DuBois of New Paltz.

Ill Equine Intelligent.

Augustus Jenks of Millerton, Dutchess county, was awakened early Saturday morning by one of his horses rearing and growling on the ground beneath his window. He found the animal, ill with colic, had slipped its halter, opened the barn door and gone to the house for first aid.

Plattekill Farm is Sold.

Charles O. Jenkins, Jr., of Modena, has purchased the D. B. DuBois farm in the town of Plattekill, of which he will take possession on April 1.—New Paltz Independent.

A Big Pay Roll.

According to figures it takes only the sum of \$195,745.22 to make up the payroll for the employees of the West Shore railroad of the river division, between Weehawken and Albany.

In Appreciation.

We hereby extend our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness of our mother and wife, and for the beautiful floral offerings of the Columbia shirt factory, the Rotary Club and members of the orchestra.

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FRACTURES SKULL WHILE COASTING

Oswald Lehman Injured at West Park—Burns Injured in a Runaway—Mans Breaks Leg—Ambulance Kept Moving.

Oswald Lehman, 18 years old, a student at Holy Cross Seminary at West Park, received a fracture of the skull and shoulder in a coasting accident at West Park late Saturday afternoon, and was brought to this city and taken to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance. Lehman resides at Lancaster, Pa. and with a number of other youths were coasting down a hill near the seminary when the bobs ran off the side of the road and hit a rock. The others in the party escaped with bruises and a shaking up. The condition of the young man is still serious.

Saturday evening John Burns of No. 7 Hanratty street was hurled from his sleigh when his horse ran away on St. James street. The ambulance was summoned and removed him to his home. His injuries were not serious.

Paul Allen of No. 34 Hanratty street, fell and broke his leg on Saturday. He was removed to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance.

Saturday Everett Thorp was removed from a U. & D. train to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance.



JOHN A. TOPPING
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FIVE-MINUTE TALKS BY NATIONAL LEADERS.

"Will America Wake Up?"

Mr. John A. Topping, chairman of the board of directors of the Republic Iron & Steel Co., is one of the leading spirits in the movement to organize America for industry and efficiency.

By John A. Topping, Chairman Republic Iron & Steel Co.

I believe that one of our national weaknesses is a lack of understanding by a large part of our people of what constitutes our national ideals. The remedy for this condition of public mind is to be found, I think, in a broader education of the people. As a step in this direction there should be fuller publicity given all matters affecting the national welfare and a fuller participation in public affairs by all business men, so that some practical ability will at least supplement the academic thought, upon which we have been too dependent heretofore, for the solution of national problems.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Mary V. Myer, late of the town of Hurley, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Philip Elting, one of the executors of the estate of said deceased, at his office, No. 280 Wall St., in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the first day of May, 1917.

Dated, October 2nd, 1916.
PHILIP WOOLSEY and PHILIP ELTING,
Executors, etc., of Mary V. Myer, deceased.
Philip Elting, Attorney, 280 Wall St., Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Walter Eckert, late of the town of Hurley, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Emily Eckert and Frank H. Snyder, the executors of the estate of said deceased, at the residence of Frank H. Snyder at Hurley, in the said county of Ulster, New York, on or before the 20th day of March, 1917.

Dated, September 18, 1916.
EMILY ECKERT,
FRANK H. SNYDER,
As Executors of the Will of
Walter Eckert, deceased.
V. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

Of Completion of Special Assessment.
Notice is hereby given that the assessor of the city of Kingston has completed the assessment of 75 per cent for Andrew street sanitary sewer between Broadway and existing sewer in Andrew street, and that the same is filed in the office of the assessor, in the city hall, where the same may be seen by any person or persons interested therein, until Friday, February 9th, next, and that on that day the assessor will be at the city hall from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. to hear any person or persons who may deem themselves aggrieved thereby.

Dated, this 30th day of January, 1917.
MORRIS BLOCK,
Assessor.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

Of Completion of Special Assessment.
Notice is hereby given that the assessor of the city of Kingston has completed the assessment of 75 per cent for Cornell street sanitary sewer between South avenue and Tremper avenue, and that the same is filed in the office of the assessor, in the city hall, where the same may be seen by any person or persons interested therein, until Friday, February 9th, next, and that on that day the assessor will be at the city hall from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. to hear any person or persons who may deem themselves aggrieved thereby.

Dated, this 30th day of January, 1917.
MORRIS BLOCK,
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Reindeer, Camel Hair

Wool Lined Gloves

Stelle's Price **\$3.00**
Now **\$2.00**

Black and Tan Caps

Scotch Knit Lined

Stelle's Price **\$3.00**
Now **\$1.95**

Kid Gloves

Chamois Gloves

Stelle's Price **\$2.50-\$2**
Now **\$1.50**

White and Black

Kid Gloves

Stelle's Price **\$2.00**
Now **\$1.50**

Ivory Cape, Washable

Stelle's Price **\$2.00**

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Tan, Suede,

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Wordsworth on one occasion when talking to his wife referred to a time when, "as you know, I was better looking."

"What became of all the buds that were here two seasons ago?" questioned the tourist.

The Yosemite falls drop 1,430 feet, a height equal to nine Nipagans piled one on top of the other.

"Teacher—Tommy, what is the future of 'I give'?"

Tommy—You take.—Life

Doings of the Van Loons—No, Father isn't the only one who is Wise to the Law.

By F. Leipzig



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If used with discretion and judgment. We are unalterably opposed to its excessive use.

PETER BARMANN
OFFICE PHONE 66

PEACOCK TO GO TO JERSEY CITY

Evangelist L. K. Peacock, who is holding a series of revival services in the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle, has accepted an invitation to hold similar meetings in Jersey City, starting April 22, while the Rev. Billy Sunday is holding services in New York city. Dr. Peacock is in Jersey City today arranging plans for the proposed campaign.

During the early weeks of Kingston's first tabernacle campaign a delegation of ministers and laymen from the churches in Jersey City attended services at the tabernacle which led later to the invitation being extended to Evangelist Peacock and his party. The campaign in Kingston, which is proving a bigger success than expected, will close Sunday with three services, morning, afternoon and evening.

WEST PARK.

West Park, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. George C. Seely of Rochester are visiting the Rev. and Mrs. Richard C. Searing at the rectory of Ascension Church.

Mrs. Richard C. Searing has been very ill for over two weeks. For one week she was under the care of Miss Rhoda Russell of Kingston and the second week under the care of Miss Harriet Ordway of Scitoville, N. Y.

Miss Alida Hoort, recently ill with the grip, is improving.

Mrs. Nathan Ackhart of Clintondale has been taken to the Benedictine Sanitarium for an operation; in which hospital also Miss Helen Mitchell of West Park is ill of the quinsy.

Traces of Christmas, brought by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Aldrich, is visiting her parents and her sister, Miss Eliza J. Burroughs, who has recently returned from a two weeks' visit in Kingston.

Luke Conner is making slow progress with the cellar of his new bungalow.

The festival of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Presentation of Christ in the Temple was commemorated by the celebration of the holy communion in Ascension Church at 10 a. m.

It is intended that the work of the Woman's Auxiliary in Ascension parish will begin on Thursday, February 8, with a meeting and short missionary service at the home of Mrs. H. Hudson Covert. Meeting is called at 2:30, the service will probably be at 3, with conference on the present year's plans.

NEW PALTZ.

New Palitz, Feb. 5.—Madame Alma Webster Powell, who won much favor here last season with her lecture and concert, will again appear at the Normal Tuesday evening, February 6. Those who heard the recital last year will doubtless attend this season and everyone will make the most of such an opportunity.

Considerable interest has been shown in constructing the New Palitz-Highland turnpike into a state highway. Brynna diabrouck a prominent merchant, and J. H. Vaulerlyn, the lawyer, are interested in the transaction.

Famous Skater as Judge.

Joseph F. Donoghue, holder of all skating records from 30 to 100 miles, and former world's champion skater, will return to Newburgh, his native town, on Lincoln's Birthday, the date of the Eastern Outdoor Speed Skating Championships. He will act as one of the judges of the events. In an effort to bring forth another champion who will carry Newburgh's name all over the country, "Joe" will offer, commencing next year, a medal for the champion school boy skater of Newburgh.

Bonus for Brickmakers.

The Rose Brick Company of Roseton has declared a special bonus for employees to be distributed over the next five months. The bonus is designed to help employees meet the rising cost of living. The bonus amounts to \$10 a month for married men and \$5 a month for single men. The total amount for the five months will be \$50 and \$25 respectively.

To Clean Up Orange County.

District Attorney Hirschberg has announced his intention to begin a rice crusade in Orange county in accordance with his campaign promise.

Raised \$1,500 Tag Day.

Cassavours for the Jewish People's Relief raised \$1,500 through their tag day in Newburgh Thursday.

ONE MILITARY INSTRUCTOR.

Harold Lent to Hold New Office in Lloyd, New Palitz and Esopus.

Harold Lent, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lent, who has been practicing law for the past three years in Newburgh, has been appointed military training supervisor and physical instructor of all the schools included in the territory of Lloyd, New Palitz and Esopus. Mr. Lent began his new duties Friday. Mr. Lent was graduated from West Point in 1912, previous to which he studied law in Union College. He was admitted to the bar a number of years ago and has been practicing since on Second street. He is a member of the firm of A. D. & A. W. Lent. The appointment came through the district superintendent and board of education. Although the new position will take up a great deal of Mr. Lent's time, he does not intend to give up his law practice. He will return to Newburgh every Saturday. The position of military training supervisor has been made necessary because of the new law making physical training compulsory in the grade schools.

PLATTEKILL.

Plattekill, Feb. 6.—Bills have been posted throughout the village of the auction to be held on Ronk's farm, situated in this village, when the farm, household furniture, farm animals, farm implements and produce will be disposed of. The sale starts February 8 at 12 o'clock sharp, with William Brush of Newburgh as auctioneer. The farm will be sold at 2 o'clock and consists of 23½ acres of rich, tillable land; five apple trees in full bearing; mostly buildings, about 200 in number, being a noteworthy factor. The buildings are in good condition, ten ten-room house, two large barns, blacksmith house, garage and other farm buildings. Place can be inspected any time previous to the sale. Mr. Ronk and family expect to leave Plattekill the early part of March and move to Orange Lake, where they will conduct a grocery business. Their friends wish them success in their new enterprise.

A farce entitled "The Suffrage Convention" will be held in the Methodist Church Friday evening, February 16, at 8 o'clock.

A social will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Lowry, February 22, under the auspices of the Epworth League members.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held at the home of Mrs. William Nabor, Tuesday afternoon, February 6.

Mrs. William Elliott of Carson avenue, Newburgh, N. Y., visited her brother, Harry Gerow, who is ill, at his home in this place.

Friday, Candlemas Day, being clear, the shadow of the bear or ground hog must have been discernible. Therefore, we are entitled to six weeks more of winter weather. If Friday and Saturday were samples of the weather, it would be advisable if we followed the bear's example.

Julian Greenfield is spending several days in New York city on business.

CHICHESTER.

Chichester, Feb. 5.—Mrs. James Lane of this village was operated on for appendicitis last Tuesday by Dr. Frederick Snyder at Wauna Sanitarium. The operation was successful and Mrs. Lane is improving.

Mrs. Willard Quick of Lake Hill spent Monday with Mrs. R. R. Bennett here.

S. B. Schwarzwelder made a business trip to Kingston Friday. The two small sons of Harold Kelsey were injured while coasting on Sunshine Hill in this place on Thursday. Dr. Gross was called and tended them.

This is the fourth successive week that revival meetings have been held at the Baptist Church. On Friday night the Tiskwa Band was present and played several pieces.

Mrs. Colvin of Kingston is visiting her son, Frank Colvin, of this place.

Mrs. Burrell Schwarzwelder spent a day or two with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Townshead, of Fleischmanns, recently.

Several from this place attended the oyster supper held at the Lansville House one evening last week.

Water Instead of Oil.

Walden taxpayers are agitating for the return to water sprinkling of the streets to take the place of oil treatment.

Needed Invention.

A Chicago professor advocates the use of typewriters by public school children, but he must have overlooked the fact that as yet no one has invented one with a correct grammar attachment.

MATTERS BEFORE THE SURROGATE

The will of Elizabeth H. Smith of this city has been admitted to probate by Surrogate Gill in the surrogate's court. To her son, Robert J. Smith, the testatrix bequeaths the sum of \$50 and the family Bible; to his wife, Margaret Smith, \$20 and personal effects; to her son, Harvey Smith, \$150; to her grandsons, William Smith, Robert Smith and Thomas Smith, \$15 each; the balance of the estate is given to her son, Thomas H. Smith, who is appointed executor. The will was executed June 20, 1916, and witnessed by Robert C. Groves and Mrs. Mary Mathey. The value of the real estate is \$1,200 and the personal property amounts to \$700. Robert C. Groves appeared for the executor.

The will of John Sinnott of Saugerties was filed and a citation for its probate was issued returnable February 13. The testator gives his estate to his wife Annie Sinnott, whom he appoints executrix. The will was executed May 7, 1915, and witnessed by Corporation Counsel William D. Brinley of this city and Michael McCarthy of Saugerties. The value of the real estate is \$4,000 and the personal property amounts to \$1,000. Brinley and Canfield appeared for the executrix.



(Baron Sato.)

Washington, Feb. 5.—Considerable uneasiness is felt in administration circles as a result of the visit to the state department of Count Sato, the Japanese Ambassador, whom he conversed with Solicitor Frank Polk regarding anti-alien land owning bills pending in the legislatures of Idaho and Oregon. It is considered significant that Ambassador Sato took occasion to call at the state department at the very time when a diplomatic rupture with Germany over submarine warfare seemed imminent. Senator Borah, of Idaho, after a conference with Solicitor Polk, sent a telegram to the senate of his state saying that the bill pending had caused the government "deep concern" and urging that the administration be not "embarrassed at this critical hour."

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed matter advertised at Kingston, N. Y. Week ending February 5, 1917:

Bamford, John
Barley, Edward G.
Benedict, Frederick F.
Benson, Mrs. Maud A.
Boice, Lena
Boyer, Bezie A.
Burhans, George
Carl, Eugene
Coons, Mrs. W. D.
Fraser, J. O.
Hamm, W. R.
Hughes, Wm.
Huntston, Howard
Jameison, Rev. J. M.
Loreich, Charles
Lutz, Charles
Leonardo, Vito Casilio
Molns, Mr.
Nelson, Alfred M.
Schley, Betty
Teller, Mrs. Mary
Well, Henry

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The KITCHEN CABINET

A happiness that is quite undisturbed becomes dreamlike, we must have ups and downs; the difficulties which are mingled with love awaken passion and increase pleasure.—Mollere.

GOOD COMPANY DISHES.

Just a plain, well-made apple pie may be made quite festive by covering it with whipped cream that has been mixed with as much good-flavored grated cheese as it will hold. Put it on in spoonfuls, making as attractive a garnish as possible.

Stuffed Cabbage.—With a small amount of cold, cooked chicken and a little cooked rice a most savory dish may be prepared. Take a small, loose cabbage head. Scald it, and when the leaves are limp, open the cabbage and put two tablespoonsful of the mixture in the center, then fold over the leaves and put another layer outside these leaves; continue until the cabbage is well filled. Tie it up in a piece of cheesecloth and put it into a kettle of boiling salted water. Cook until tender, drain and serve with a Hollandaise sauce, or with a sour cream sauce.

Other meat, such as well-seasoned sausage or chopped meat, may be used in place of chicken.

Tomato Cocktails.—Prepare six peppers as directed above. Have ready four peeled tomatoes cut in halves, squeeze out the seed, chop fine one onion, put it in a cloth and wash well with cold water, wringing it out dry. Cut the tomatoes in cubes, add the onion, mar in the peppers, cover with French dressing, dust the top with chopped parsley and serve.

Large, white stalks of celery stuffed with finely chopped nuts and cream cheese may be attractively placed, spoke fashion, on a plate, with a garnish of radishes cut in the form of tulips, using parsley to make the garnish more attractive.

Italian Polenta.—This sounds quite foreign, but is nothing more than the old-fashioned corn mush, made as our grandmothers used to make it, stirring into it a beaten egg, some butter, and, if liked, a little grated cheese. Then put into square tins to mold. Wet the tins in cold water and pour in the mush. When stiff, it may be cut in slices and fried, and no dish is more appetizing served with or without sirup.

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KINGSTON, N. Y., FEB. 5, 1917.

Calmness in the midst of occurrences of national and international import is the great desideratum. With the breaking off of diplomatic relations with Germany, the tension has been released and some of the phases of the natural reaction now presented are almost hysterical. Such strains always bring a number of cranks to the surface, as ill-balanced minds often give way before the mental pressure caused by a concatenation of great events. Hence, it is the part of wisdom to provide against all contingencies such as may threaten the safety of our public works, industrial welfare and the transportation and other agencies upon whose existence the national defense depends. Federal, State and municipal authorities may be depended upon to realize their responsibilities in this connection; there is no ground for any undue alarm over the taking of such reasonable precautions. Even in the eventuality of actual hostilities, and those seem hardly likely in the immediate future, it is with a feeling of deep satisfaction that we contemplate the demeanor of the great mass of our fellow citizens, no matter to what flag they may have formerly owed allegiance. The news of the last forty-eight hours has been the most momentous in the history of our foreign relations since the actual declaration of war with Spain. It is beyond any human power to accurately gauge the ultimate consequence of the President's step. Wherever it leads, the American people are with their Chief Magistrate to a man, firm in the knowledge that there was no other available recourse, either legal or moral, for the protection of American rights.

The most curious feature of the situation is the amazement felt in Berlin over the action of our Government. The Overseas News Agency, which is recognized as the official publicity bureau of the Imperial Government, reports that "the general feeling in Germany is regret that the American President gave to the German note an interpretation which was not intended by Germany." It adds that Germany's enemies are "charged with the whole responsibility." From this it is a logical inference that when Germany announced that "all ships met within the zone will be sunk" it was the duty of our Government to break off diplomatic relations with the Allied Powers which had provoked Germany to adopt a policy which involves the murder of American citizens going about their lawful business. Germans as we know them in this country are not addicted to such muddled thinking. Can it be that there is an epidemic of insanity in German official circles?

Publicity men who flourish in State Departments at Albany under misleading titles such as assistant secretaries, et cetera, are responsible for an entertaining variety of guff from time to time. The lachrymal effusions over the possible fate of "Old Dog Tray" under the proposed law to destroy untrained dogs is an execrable sample. The plan to kill off such canines is a wise one and no doubt will encourage the sheep industry. How any such legislation can have an adverse effect upon the life and peace of any well-disposed farm dog such as faithful Tray of song and story is difficult to imagine. But the seekers after publicity need a sentimental, human interest touch for an introduction and Old Dog Tray serves as well as any other, regardless of the manifest ineptitude in dragging him into a class with his stray, sheep-killing brothers. An increase in the license fee for dogs is contained in the bill, but that item will work no hardship, as the law will make for the protection of useful, self-respecting members of the canine family and tend to eliminate the worthless through humane methods. The dog is man's friend, but even friends can backslide and damage us considerably. The canine population of the State includes thousands of useless curs whose existence constitutes a menace not only to sheep-raising but to the welfare of human beings as well.

It is a curious fact that sheep in New York State have received less attention under the laws than have

wild deer. The present law, known as "the buck law," prohibits the taking of wild deer having horns less than three inches in length and this restriction has resulted in conserving these animals through the protection thus afforded to does and fawns. The use of dogs in trailing deer is prohibited. While it is difficult to make a comparison between wild and domestic animals, it is true that the dog license law is not enforced in many rural communities and the only remedy that a farmer has for the killing of sheep by dogs is to present a bill to the town authorities. The red tape and delay in this procedure is obvious and most distasteful to the average sheep-raiser. By placing a bounty of \$5 on the head of the untrained dog, the lawmakers hope to do away with this surplus element. Owners of hunting dogs which occasionally develop sheep-killing propensities will also be inclined to use more care in keeping their charges within bounds. Permitting farmers to take the law into their own hands and kill dogs found worrying stock is another feature that will prove of value in restoring sheep-raising as a farm industry in New York State.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Feb. 5.—Mrs. Estella Smith, who has spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Schilling in Albany, returned to her home on Hamilton street Saturday.

F. J. Giddings of Yonkers spent the week end at his home on Riverside avenue.

Port Ewen Lodge, No. 656, 1 O. O. F. will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. M. J. Major is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Helen Caniff in Mariaville.

Miss Edith Lowe of Albany spent the week end at the home of her mother, Mrs. Etta Lowe on Schryver street.

The Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school will hold a business meeting and social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wells on Broadway Tuesday evening, Feb. 6. All members are urged to be present as this is the second meeting since the reorganization.

The Teachers' Bible Training Class will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. Amy Coons, who attended the funeral of a relative at Hudson this week, has returned home.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 6th, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. P. Griffin on Hamilton street. Those having "Mite Boxes" will kindly bring them to this meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the parsonage.

Twain calves have arrived at the farm of Edwin Taylor on South Broadway and they are beautiful. Anyone interested in real live stock are invited to inspect them.

Union prayer meeting will be held in the Reformed Church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. This meeting is preparatory to evangelistic services which are soon to be held in our village. All people interested in these very important services, are cordially invited to be present Thursday evening.

On the 23rd of March, Emil Closs of Brooklyn will give a high class entertainment in Pythian Hall under the auspices of the Dorcas Society of the Reformed Church, assisted by the Brotherhood. Mr. Closs is a humorist, impersonator, imitator and bell ringer. He has been in Kingston several times and comes highly recommended. Watch the paper for more regarding this entertainment.

The young men of the Epworth League Society will hold a dime social at the Methodist parsonage Friday evening, Feb. 9th. All who are interested in the youth of the society be present at this social.

The Dorcas Society of the Reformed Church will present in the near future a play written by Kate Douglas Wiggin entitled, "The Old Peabody Pew."

A meeting of the board of trustees of the Methodist Church will be held in the chapel at 8:30 o'clock on Thursday evening.

The male quartet sang very acceptably at the evening service in the Methodist Church.

The Brotherhood of the Reformed Church, assisted by the Dorcas Society, will celebrate Lincoln's birthday on Monday, February 12, in the church. An oyster supper will be served from 6 to 8 p. m., also coffee and cream will be served at 8 o'clock. Judge James Jenkins of Kingston will deliver an appropriate address and a silver offering will be taken. The choir will render patriotic music. The proceeds of both supper and entertainment will be applied to the building fund.

NO LACK OF SAND IN BORDER LIFE

McAllen, Texas, Jan. 29, 1917.

Dear Sir:—Just a few paragraphs to assure the good people of Kingston of our life at the Mexican border. We are all enjoying the excellent weather Texas honors us with but although the weather here is warm we have our troubles with cold weather. Sometimes the water-er troughs for horses are frozen over and quite a few inches of ice has to be broken to water our horses and mules of which we have quite a few.

I think the people should know what we boys are enduring here on the border while serving our country. It is very unpleasant to hike along a road with the sand blowing a perfect gale and choking us. And to drink water that seems as though we were drinking grease.

A song produced by some of the "weary of life" soldiers:

Near Mc Allen, Texas, pal, you'll find us, an immortal
Like all "boobs" they did what they hadn't oughter.

They thought they would travel for a spell,
And went to join the soldiers on the border.

They said "Farewell" to friends so dear
And said we're through with "booze and beer."

And shouted loud the stars and stripes forever.

But when they saw McAllen town,
They wrote their friends they'd like to drown.

But couldn't think of dying in such water.

Chorus:
Oh Muck Allen, Phew, McAllen, the sandstorms make you sneeze and choke.

Drink that water and you'll choke.
Swell that beefsteak—issued bacon.

The coffee they hand out is just like lye.

That's why we hope to die.
Words to "Old Bill Baker."

This is only a very small portion of songs written by border servers. Some are very pitiful.

At the time of writing a perfect gale is blowing and we are in fear of our tent being blown away. Go to sleep and when we arise in the morn we look to see if the tent is still in existence.

I myself am a Kingston boy and answered the call to colors to do service duty and I am doing it.

This is only a brief outline of our work here but as we can not express our sufferings here I must bring this to a close.

Hoping you will print this in a conspicuous place in your paper so the people can have an idea of how we are enjoying Mother and Sis may read it, too, and also many of my old friends.

Thanking you in advance I am,
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TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.
February 4, 1897.—Mrs. Jacob M. Rider broke her leg by a fall.

While crossing the river on the ice one of the passenger sleighs broke through and a dozen passengers got a wetting.

February 5, 1897.—Mr. and Mrs. Seba Tiencken celebrated their golden wedding at their home on Wall street.

Mrs. Nellie Van Demark died suddenly at her home on Cedar street.

Miss Gersline seriously injured by a fall on the ice rendering her unconscious for several days.

February 4, 1907.—A foot and a half of snow fell in city accompanied by a high wind.

Alma board decided to make contract with Kingston City Hospital to care for cases at sum not to exceed \$4,500 per annum.

John Doolin and Miss Elizabeth Mahoney married at St. Mary's Church.

February 5, 1907.—Owen Rafferty died at his home on Sycamore street, aged 79 years.

Ulster County Medical Society held mid-winter session and had as its guests at banquet the local health board.

Mendelssohn Club gave concert at Wiltwyck Inn.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Fourth Binnewater.

Alton Dietz and Muriel Vreeland passed their regents examinations last week at Kingston.

Walter Peck of Greene county is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freer.

Miss Belle Kiersted is confined to her home with a cold.

Alton and Kathryn Dietz spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fowler in Poughkeepsie.

A number of friends of this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Tom Chambers of Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. James Dietz and Mrs. Harry Freer were calling on the sick in this neighborhood Wednesday afternoon.

John H. Walton is busy filling his ice house.

Granville Davis and wife are making their annual winter visit to their son in Bayonne, N. J.

SPRINGTOWN.

Springtown, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rylea have been visiting friends in Port Ewen.

Mrs. David Atkins of Pine Plains has been spending a week with her mother, Mrs. E. I. Deyo.

A number in this place are still ill.

A hot chicken supper will be served by the Ladies' Aid Society at the chapel Friday evening, February 16. The price of the supper will be twenty-five cents for adults and fifteen cents for children. The public is cordially invited.

Jesse Deyo and Marshall MacMurdy have gone to Buffalo.

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James R. Boice and Catherine C. Boice, plaintiffs, against Della Chapin and Horace Chapin, her husband, Tillie France and Adolph France, her husband, Lou Van Demark, his wife, and Maud Van Demark, her husband, and Clarence Gault, her husband, and Alice Boice, defendant.
To the above named defendants:
You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and, in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be rendered against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial to be held in the county of Ulster, dated, Kingston, New York, September 8, 1916.
Yours, etc.,
A. T. CLEARWATER,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Office and Post Office Address,
Ulster County Savings Bank Bldg., Kingston, New York.

To Della Chapin, Horace Chapin, Tillie France, Adolph France, Lou Van Demark, Maud Van Demark, Clarence Gault, Alice Boice, defendant.
The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Honorable J. D. B. Hasbrouck, a justice of the supreme court of the state of New York, dated the 23rd day of December, 1916, and filed on the 9th day of January, 1917, with the clerk of the county of Ulster, in the city of Kingston, in said county of Ulster, the original complaint having been filed in said county on the 21st day of September, 1916. The object of this action is to make a partition according to the respective interests of the parties, and if it appears that partition cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners, then for a sale of the following described property:

All That Tract or Parcel of Land situate in the town of Ulster, in the county of Ulster and in the state of New York, at or near a place called Tongore, and is bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a chestnut tree standing against or near the south end of a ledge of rocks and runs from thence south eighty-eight and one-half degrees east twelve chains and sixty-six links to a white oak tree corner; then north seven and one-half degrees east ten chains and thirty-five links; then north twenty-two degrees east twelve chains to a heap of stones; then sixty-four and a quarter degrees fourteen chains and twenty-five links to a rock oak tree standing against a ledge of rocks, marked; then south fifty-nine and one-half degrees west twenty-five chains and forty-two links to a heap of stones against the east side of a hill; then south eleven degrees west ten chains and fifty links to a black oak tree marked on a ledge of rocks; then along the same south thirteen degrees west five chains and eighty links to the place of beginning, containing fifty-eight acres of land, more or less.

Also another tract of land situate as aforesaid and adjoining the above described lot, at or near a place called Deer Park and is distinguished on map by lot No. 45 and is bounded and bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at oak tree marked 44, 45 being the northwesterly corner of lot No. 44, from thence running along the same south fifty degrees east thirty-three chains and twenty links to a black oak tree marked 46, then south fifty-four degrees west six chains to a white oak tree being the southwesterly corner formerly of Oreamuna North, then along the same north eighty-eight and one-half degrees west twelve chains and sixty links to a chestnut tree standing against or near a ledge of rocks; then north thirteen degrees east five chains and eighty links to a rock oak tree on a ledge of rocks; then north eighty-four degrees west ten chains and fifty links to a black oak tree; then south thirty-six degrees west one chain and fifty links to the place of beginning, containing twenty-six acres of land, more or less.

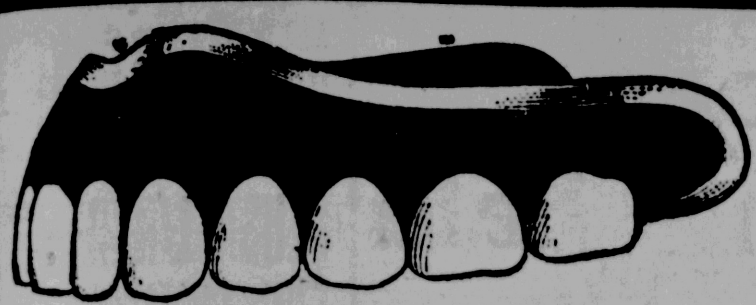
Also another tract of land situate as aforesaid and on the northeast side of the first described lot, and is bounded as follows, viz: Beginning where a straight line from the northwesterly side of the first described lot, the formerly of Oreamuna North and James Winchell, was surveyed and established and where the same would intersect or cross the street called Deer Park Road, and then down said road until it strikes a white oak sapling marked or about sixty rods then to a ledge of rocks a few rods southeasterly to the edge of the same; then said ledge runs southerly to the end of the first stone-wall, then southeasterly along and through said wall to the bounds of James Robbins, then along his bounds southeasterly to the bounds of the first described lot, and along the same and other lands to the road aforesaid, and the place of beginning, containing eleven acres of land, more or less.

Excepting and reserving out of the same eleven acres heretofore conveyed to Jacob Boice, reference to his deed will more fully appear and by the said Jacob Boice, conveyed to Henry Winchell, aforesaid, the same according to survey made by Conradt Broadhead, Esq., to be deducted of the two first described lots.

Also another lot of four acres reserved by the said Henry Winchell, bounded as follows, northwesterly by the Deer Park road, an east side of the Deer Park road to be reserved out of the first two described lots.

Dated, January 18th, 1917.
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Kingston's first tabernacle campaign swung into its sixth and last week on Sunday at the Delaware Avenue Tabernacle when 1,24 hit the trail. This makes a total of 1,490 who have so far professed an intention of leading a better life by coming forward when the invitation has been extended by Evangelist L. K. Peacock. There will be no services today at the tabernacle.

Baptist Night.

Services will be resumed on Tuesday afternoon and that evening will be Baptist night at the tabernacle when the evangelist will speak on "The Unpardonable Sin." The Baptists are requested to meet at the tabernacle that evening and march in a body to the tabernacle.

There is a Hell.

Evangelist Peacock on Saturday evening spoke on Hell, taking his text from Luke 16, 23-24, "And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. And he cried and said, Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water, and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame."

The evangelist said that some people would acclaim that that passage of Scripture was a parable, but even if it was a parable it was used by Christ to show the happiness of those who had lost out. Christ was essentially truthful and he would not mislead any person, and in this passage of Scripture Christ makes it plain that there is a place of future punishment.

Must Pay Penalty.

He said that it made it a great deal easier for people to sin, if they could delude themselves with believing that there was no future punishment. Even if we did not have a hell we would still have to pay a penalty for sin. People suffer from their sins both in this world and in the world to come.

Pastor Russell Knocked.

The evangelist paid his respects to Pastor Russell and said that if people would devote more time to reading the Bible instead of the tommyrot of Pastor Russell they would be better off.

It's What is Next.

Death is not the most dangerous thing in the world; it's what comes after death if we have not led clean lives and obeyed God's commandments. You may try to make yourself believe that there is no hell, but according to Christ's teachings there is a hell.

Not Meant For Humans.

Some say that they do not believe in hell because God is love. That is true, God does love mankind, but it should not be forgotten that hell was never intended for human beings; it was for the fallen angels. Don't labor under the delusion that God puts you in hell. God never has and God never will. There is not a soul in hell tonight who can say to God, "You put me here."

Whose Fault it is.

If you go to hell you go there because you will not permit God to save you. God has given us all a chance to enjoy the blessings of heaven here and in the hereafter. God has the right to tell man what he must do to be saved.

Some Are Scared.

Some people believe in a universal salvation, but the evangelist asked his audience if they thought a murderer would feel at home in heaven, or if a person who is not right with God would feel at home. He said that some people are scared to death thinking they will have to hold prayer meetings all the time in heaven; such people would never enjoy heaven.

He Did Not Know.

If there is no heaven there is no hell, of that the evangelist was sure. He said that many ask what kind of a place is hell. He did not know and he did not care. He had no desire to know how God is going to punish erring man, but one thing he was certain of and that was that man would pay the penalty for his sins.

Suppose hell is just being separated from God and our loved ones, would not that be hell enough for any person?

Suppose it is just remorse for your past misdeeds; is not that hell enough?

There is not the faintest shadow of a chance for us to get away from our sins. If we sin we must pay the penalty. Only Jesus Christ can save us if we believe on Him, and obey God's commandments.

Sunday's Services.

Sunday morning the evangelist preached on "The Resurrection" and that afternoon spoke on "The Judgment." Sunday evening he spoke on "The Prodigal Son," taking his text from Luke 15, 22-23.

God's Way.

He said that God's way of dealing with man is altogether different from man's way of dealing with man. God is always willing to forgive, but this spirit is seldom found in the church and out of the church. Many people never get away from their old grudges. They say, "I'll probably forgive, but I'll never forget." This is not the spirit of God toward mankind. If it was we would all be in hell tonight soul and body.

The Message.

The evangelist said that it seemed to him that the message of the par-



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The grain-fed hen usually carries a number of unlaid eggs—yolks which she cannot complete into eggs and lay, because her feed lacks the necessary white-forming nutrients. (That's why egg-yolks are found in a hen, when it is dressed). Many of these yolks of unlaid eggs are finally absorbed back into the hen's system.

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able of the prodigal son was that no matter how low people sink in sin; no matter how far they wander from God, if they repent and ask God for forgiveness He will restore them to good standing in the kingdom of God.

Don't Shut the Door.

He made an earnest plea to parents not to turn their backs on their children and close the door in their face when they commit their first sin, but to talk with them and plead with them and try to lead them back and have them lead pure clean lives. The story of the prodigal son was God's message to those who had lost out to repent and come back home.

Offering For Evangelist.

It was announced at the services Sunday that next Sunday, the closing day of the campaign, a free will offering would be taken for Evangelist Peacock. He has worked without a cent of pay and the offering will be in compensation of what he has done during the campaign. This plan of the last day's offering being the compensation of an evangelist is followed throughout the country. Sunday evening the Rev. Mr. Weyant announced that all who felt they would not be able to present next Sunday they could place their free will offering in an envelope, if they desired to do so and hand it to the pastors of the three churches back of the campaign or to Mr. Murray, treasurer of the campaign, and it would reach the proper source.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF ULSTER—Mary W. Bostwick, plaintiff, against William Lounsbury and Ella A. Lounsbury, his wife, Ella Hinton and The Kingston National Bank, defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, made and entered in the above entitled action, bearing date the 13th day of January, 1917, and entered in the Ulster county clerk's office on the 13th day of January, 1917, I, the undersigned referee, in said judgment named, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Mansion House, No. 9 Broadway, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of February, 1917, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day the following described premises, directed by said judgment to be sold:

That piece or parcel of land, lying and being in the City of Kingston, County of Ulster and State of New York, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of the old Wilbur road about fifty feet westerly from the westerly end of the said drill hole, north thirty-six degrees south forty-five degrees west forty-four minutes west, and along said line between heirs of John Pettit and parties of the first part and running thence from said drill hole north thirty-six degrees south forty-five degrees west forty-four minutes west first along the bounds of the estate of John J. Conney, thence crossing the Walkkill Valley Railroad to the said Pettit, and along said Pettit's bounds and line fence, a distance of one hundred twenty-six and seven-tenths feet to a stone monument by a burnt post at the end of wire fence; thence along the same and bounds of the heirs of John Pettit on the following courses and distances, south fifty degrees thirty-eight minutes, west seventy-four and five-tenths feet to a pine tree; south thirty-seven degrees forty-eight minutes west forty-four and seven-tenths feet to a fence post; south twenty-two degrees and two-tenths minutes west forty-two and one-tenths feet to a pine tree; south eight degrees forty-eight minutes west forty-one and seven-tenths feet to end of stone wall or fence;

thence still along bounds of said Pettit and following the line of stone wall, south thirty-four degrees forty-eight minutes west one hundred twenty-three and three-tenths feet to the northern bounds of said Roe; thence along the same south forty-three degrees forty-nine minutes east one hundred eighty-eight and nine-tenths feet to the westerly side of Albert's street and the old Wilbur road, a distance of one thousand eighty-eight and three-tenths feet to the point of beginning.

Excepting the lands of the Walkkill Valley Railroad Company as heretofore conveyed to it.

Also excepting Candler street, running from Greenkill road to Middletown road.

This instrument conveying and intending to convey the same lands and premises as were conveyed by John J. Conney and Margaret Conney, his wife, to Thomas Scully as trustee, by deed bearing date April 5, 1900, and recorded in book of deeds No. 361 at page 167.

Excepting the parcels of land sold by Thomas Scully as trustee to Mary M. Roe which deed is recorded in book of deeds 375 at page 146, all of which are recorded in the Ulster county clerk's office.

And being the same premises conveyed by Elizabeth Lounsbury to William Lounsbury by deed dated January 3, 1913, recorded in Ulster county clerk's office in book No. 440 of deeds at page 508.

Dated, Kingston, N. Y., January 15, 1917.

HARRY H. FLEMING, Referee.

FREDERICK STEPHAN, JR., Attorney for Plaintiff.

21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

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Corset Sale Continued

We continue the sale of Standard Corsets this week at ONE-HALF PRICE and LESS. Good styles yet remain, in broken size assortment of Prolesel, Nemo, Gossard, C. B. Bon Ton and Royal Worcester, mostly discontinued models. There will be fittings where necessary—BUT NO RETURNS.

Buy Suits Now at 1-2 Price

There still remains an excellent assortment of Suits, in poplins, gabardines and broadcloths, all high class suits, were \$25.00 to \$35.00. To close out at one-half price.

Silk Waist Sale

25 Silk Waists offered in this lot, including Georgette, Crepe de Chine, Silk Marquisette, Silk Nets, Silk Lace and Chiffon; sizes 30 to 42; worth up to \$6.95, to be closed out at\$3.50

Sale of Laces and Nets

This is a lot of wide, Lace Flouncings, All Over Nets, Silk All Over Beaded Nets, in widths from 18 to 45 inches wide and sold as high as \$2.50 yard; all lengths from 2 yards to 15 yards to be closed out before inventory at a sacrifice 25c and 39c yard

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SHERIFF READY TO MEET TROUBLE

Sheriff Edgar T. Shultis is ready with a force of 200 deputies to rush to the scene of any disorder in case assistance of the county authorities is needed. The deputies have been notified to be ready for quick action and should trouble start in any part of the county the men will be moved to the scene within a very short time.

In order to provide equipment for the guards Sheriff Shultis and Under Sheriff Scott Hornbeck have made a list of all firearms in the city which would be available to arm the deputies and guards in case trouble should develop.

On Sunday the Sheriff notified the New York authorities that he was ready to co-operate with them in guarding the Ashokan reservoir and would be able to supply men to patrol the watershed if needed but up until late today no word had been received of need for assistance.

When asked this morning as to the situation in the county, Under Sheriff Hornbeck stated that he had no fear of any trouble in Ulster county unless it was from some crank who might try and do some harm to property. The Ashokan dam and watershed is one of the important points in the county and the sheriff is ready to give any assistance necessary to protect it from harm. Although in Dutchess county deputies have been sworn in to help protect railroad property no call has been received by the Ulster county authorities for any assistance. All railroad property is being protected by railroad employees and a special guard has been established to prevent accident.

Both Sheriff Shultis and Under Sheriff Hornbeck were at the office all day ready for any trouble which might arise.

PERSHING'S FORCES OUT OF MEXICO

By Telegram to The Freeman.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 5.—General Pershing's expedition which went into Mexico on March 15, 1916, to capture Villa dead or alive, marched back into the United States today, cheered by a crowd of several thousand, and according to reports received from points near Columbus. The army censorship at Columbus over telegraph and telephone wires prevented immediate direct communication with the border town.

Kyserike Cows Are High.

Among sales of pure-bred, Holstein-Friesian cattle at Poughkeepsie Friday was one by Sanford A. Cross of Kyserike, of Princess Castine Tiranza, 2d, which was sold to H. D. Fraleigh of Red Hook for \$305. Mr. Cross also sold a heifer, Princess Tiranza, to Mr. Fraleigh for \$235. R. Trowbridge of Kyserike sold a show heifer to G. M. Harvey of Hudson for \$150. Among the buyers at the sale was Jesse DuBois of New Paltz.

Ill Equine Intelligent.

Augustus Jenks of Millerton, Dutchess county, was awakened early Saturday morning by one of his horses rolling and growling on the ground beneath his window. He found the animal, ill with colic, had slipped its halter, opened the barn door and gone to the house for first aid.

Plattekill Farm is Sold.

Charles D. Jenkins, Jr., of Modena, has purchased the D. B. DuBois farm in the town of Plattekill, of which he will take possession on April 1.—New Paltz Independent.

A Big Pay Roll.

According to figures it takes only the sum of \$195,745.22 to make up the payroll for the employees of the West Shore railroad of the river division, between Weshawken and Albany.

In Appreciation.

We hereby extend our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness of our mother and wife, and for the beautiful floral offerings of the Columbia shirt factory, the Rotary Club and members of the orchestra.

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FRACTURES SKULL WHILE COASTING

Oswald Lehman Injured at West Park—Burns Injured in a Runaway—Mass Breaks Leg—Ambulance Kept Moving.

Oswald Lehman, 18 years old, a student at Holy Cross Seminary at West Park, received a fracture of the skull and shoulder in a coasting accident at West Park late Saturday afternoon, and was brought to this city and taken to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance. Lehman resides at Lancaster, Pa., and with a number of other youths were coasting down a hill near the seminary when the bobs ran off the side of the road and hit a rock. The others in the party escaped with bruises and a shaking up. The condition of the young man is still serious.

Saturday evening John Burns of No. 7 Hanratty street was hurled from his sleigh when his horse ran away on St. James street. The ambulance was summoned and removed him to his home. His injuries were not serious.

Paul Allen of No. 34 Hanratty street, fell and broke his leg on Saturday. He was removed to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance.

Saturday Everett Thorp was removed from a U. & D. train to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance.



JOHN A. TOPPING
Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Republic Iron & Steel Co.

FIVE-MINUTE TALKS BY NATIONAL LEADERS.

"Will America Wake Up?" Mr. John A. Topping, chairman of the board of directors of the Republic Iron & Steel Co., is one of the leading spirits in the movement to organize America for industry and efficiency.

By John A. Topping, Chairman Republic Iron & Steel Co. I believe that one of our national weaknesses is a lack of understanding by a large part of our people of what constitutes our national ideals.

The remedy for this condition of public mind is to be found, I think, in a broader education of the people. As a step in this direction there should be fuller publicity given all matters affecting the national welfare and a fuller participation in public affairs by all business men, at least, supplement the academic thought upon which we have been too dependent heretofore, for the solution of national problems.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter S. Gil, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Mary W. Ecker, late of the town of Ulster, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Philip E. Hargis, one of the executors of the estate of said deceased, at his office, No. 250 Wall St., in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the first day of May, 1917.

Dated, October 2nd, 1916.
PHILIP E. HARGIS and PHILIP E. HARGIS, Executors, etc., of Mary W. Ecker, deceased.
Philip E. Hargis, Attorney, 250 Wall St., Kingston, N. Y.

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Dated, September 15, 1916.
PHILIP E. HARGIS and PHILIP E. HARGIS, Executors, etc., of Walter Ecker, deceased.
Philip E. Hargis, Attorney, 250 Wall St., Kingston, N. Y.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

Of Completion of Special Assessment. Notice is hereby given that the assessor of the city of Kingston has completed the assessment of 75 per cent for Andrew street sanitary sewer between Broadway and existing sewer in Andrew street, and that the same is filed in the office of the assessor in the city hall, where the same may be seen by any person or persons interested therein, until Friday, February 9th, next, and that on that day the assessor will be at the city hall from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. to hear any person or persons who may deem themselves aggrieved thereby.

Dated, this 30th day of January, 1917.
MORRIS BLOCK, Assessor.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

Of Completion of Special Assessment. Notice is hereby given that the assessor of the city of Kingston has completed the assessment of 75 per cent for Cornell street sanitary sewer between Sanith street and Tremper street, and that the same is filed in the office of the assessor in the city hall, where the same may be seen by any person or persons interested therein, until Friday, February 9th, next, and that on that day the assessor will be at the city hall from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m. to hear any person or persons who may deem themselves aggrieved thereby.

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MORRIS BLOCK, Assessor.

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Wordsworth on one occasion when talking to his wife referred to a time when, "as you know, I was better looking."

"What became of all the buds that were here two seasons ago?" questioned the tourist.

The Yosemite falls drop 1,450 feet, a height equal to nine Niagaras piled one on top of the other.

"But, my dear," replied she, "you were always very ugly."

"Some have grown into bachelor's buttons and some into wall flowers."

Teacher—Tommy, what is the future of "I give?"

Tommy—You take—Life.

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SPECIAL PRAYERS FOR THE NATION

At the high mass Sunday at Holy Cross Church the rector, Father Lange, used the following bidding to prayer:

"The holy sacrifice this morning is offered for God's blessing on our country. Let us unite in prayer: For the president, that God will give him grace to be patient in deliberation, slow in decision and immovable in purpose. Let us pray for the members of congress, that they may have wisdom to follow where they ought to follow and courage to lead where they ought to lead."

"Let us pray for our fellow citizens of German birth. It was said in the beginning that man shall leave his father and mother and cleave to his wife, and in the same way, a man who takes unto himself a new country must leave the country of his father and mother and cleave to the country he has chosen for himself. But as no good son for his wife ceases to love the father and mother who gave him birth, so no good man for love of his new country ceases to love the country that was his fatherland. So now, in the hour of their sorrow, when their hearts are torn between their old and new love, let us pray for them: let us pray that grace may be given them to be loyal, and strength to keep their oath."

"And then let us pray for our own country. Let us pray that He, who is the Supreme Governor of all things, will so guard us that there shall be among us no war orphans, or war widows, no mothers crying for their sons nor sweethearts for their lovers."

"God bless and keep the president. God bless and keep these United States."

The choir and congregation then joined in singing "Our Father's God to Thee," and the mass then proceeded as usual.

Crest of the Bloody Hand.

The noted English family of the Holtes has for its badge a bloody hand, and this sinister badge commemorates a wager that ended in a crime. Sir Thomas Holte one day in 1612 was hunting. He invited his comrades home with him to dinner, and as he rode along he made a heavy bet on his cook's punctuality. The cook failed him for once. When he got home dinner was not ready. The jeers of his companions at this failure, together with his huge loss in the matter of the wager, enraged him so that he ran into the kitchen, seized a cleaver and split the cook's head open with it. Afterward his family, to keep this crime alive, adopted for its crest the bloody hand of the cook killer.

A Mild Threat.

The following story is told of the late Dr. Timothy Dwight. In his early days, when he was a tutor in charge of student discipline at Yale—a sort of proctor, apparently—he was called out of his room by some midnight escapee. He was obliged as a matter of duty to pursue the disturbers, and with his long legs he soon found himself gaining rapidly upon them. Thereupon a solemn voice rang out suddenly into the night:

"Gentlemen, if you don't run a little faster I shall be obliged to overtake you."

Hunting a Penny.

More than a year ago the balance in the Bank of England showed the loss of a penny. The working force was told to find it and has been working since without success. Governments are exact in their small financial dealings, and even in this country a postmaster has received a check for a cent.

Poor Business.

"The milliner, as usual, is six weeks behind with my hat."

"Serves you right," growled her husband, the eminent magnate. "You women will deliberately place a big construction order without a sign of a penny clause."

Very Likely.

"Saturn has eight moons."

"I wonder if moon songs are eight times as numerous with them as with us."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Keeps It There.

He—You're always wanting money. My hand's in my pocket all the time. She—Yes, and it never comes out.

***** PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT. *****

Open the Windows.

Statistics show that the death rate for pneumonia, bronchitis, colds and grip is highest in January, February and March. These are the window shut months. The rate is lowest in July, August and September, when the windows are wide open. The rate rises again in October, November and December, when the windows are closing. It does not drop again until April, May and June, when the windows are again opening. The death rate for the four diseases in winter cannot be reduced to that prevailing in summer, but it can be materially lessened by a more general use of fresh air.

No air that ever blew out of doors is as dangerous or so poisonous as that inside a bedroom with tightly closed windows.

Night air is just as pure and wholesome as day air. Fogs and rains are only injurious in so far as they frighten you into closing your windows.

Open the windows and lower the death rate.

***** A Little Different. *****

Marcella—"Did I understand you to say Gertrude Giddig won't take you seriously?" Waverly—"Not exactly. I said seriously, she won't take me at all."

LITTLE PICKUPS OF SPORT

Michigan has arranged 13 rifle shoots for the season.

Light occupations—keeping a rascal in highbrow literature.

A six-day bicycle race is our idea of something to be far away from.

There's nothing like a punch in the game—especially the fight game.

A ski jumper doesn't mind the cold weather because he doesn't mind it.

Fred Mitchell ought to make a good manager. He has a punch in both hands.

A total of 2,434 University of Michigan students participated in athletics last year.

Rob Shawkey is one pitcher who has wised up to the bad effect of driving an automobile.

Anyone with a name like R. Norris Williams II deserves to rank first in the tennis rating.

In order to purify the wrestling game they should put college professors in charge of it.

Plans are on foot to revive the Kitty league, with Evansville and East St. Louis in the circuit.

The White Sox and Indians may play in Canada. Wonder what they've got against Canada?

St. Louis fashion experts are predicting that red hosiery won't be worn so conspicuously next fall.

There is no truth in the report that Horace Fogel will be the next president of the National league.

Percey Haughton would eliminate the spitball. This move ought to bring down the price of slippery elm.

Canadian racetracks will enjoy 210 days of racing, beginning in May and ending in October of next year.

Brown may be a popular color in St. Looney next autumn, and then again it may be only a dark brown taste.

A sport scribe says Joe Walcott was longest in the ring. Piffesticks! Joe isn't much if any over five feet long.

Almost a million horses and mules have been sold to the entente allies by American horsemen since the war began.

Des Moines has been awarded the 1917 bowling tourney of the Midwest association and will hold it next November.

Chicago paper says that "the Cub machine is to be reconstructed on a solid foundation." Going to use more concrete?

Henry Kendall college, Tulsa, Okla., will have a new gymnasium constructed to replace the one destroyed by fire recently.

Christy Mathewson would do well to call a convention of the Cincinnati hammer throwers before the spring training season.

"Christy" Mathewson is a regular Cincinnati manager. He says the Reds ought to finish in the first division next season.

Among the professional baseball players are men who are stars in various forms of athletics, but jumping has quite gone out.

When asked if he was going to sell the Pirates, Barney Dreyfuss laughed. The mention of the Pirates generally creates mirth these days.

A Kansas man has invented a new dog muzzle. If he really wants to invent something, he should turn out a muzzle for boxers' managers.

On the occasion of the recent meeting at Mont-de-Marsan, Antivari, a horse belonging to the king of Spain carried off the prix de l'evango.

The Louisville Colonels won the American association flag last fall and will train at Athens, Ga., next spring, where the Braves formerly got into condition.

Philadelphia is building the largest government-controlled garage in this country. It will contain 40,000 square feet of space. It will be one story of fireproof construction.

A man who can either drink or let it alone, or who can cut out the weed whenever he pleases, has enough will power to quit anything except bragging about his will power.

The majority of the citizens of the Smoky city would be glad to trade the University of Pittsburgh's football championship for a 1917 National league pennant in good condition.

Where are the peanut growers and pop-venders? They should have an organization effected by this time to combat that proposal which is going to eliminate the 25-cent bleachers from baseball.

A Little Different. Marcella—"Did I understand you to say Gertrude Giddig won't take you seriously?" Waverly—"Not exactly. I said seriously, she won't take me at all."

Men's Pants

Whether you need Pants now, or will later, you will find this not alone a saving time to secure them but a splendid time to select them, for there's almost no end of patterns to choose from.

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A Woman Highwayman

By ESTHER VANDEVEER

I doubt if many women have made a greater swing of the pendulum of social condition than I. In the year 1790 I was put into a crib draped with Brussels lace. My father, the Duke of Montmarville, was a favorite of King Louis XVI., who showered him with favors. Ten years later my father had gone down in the reign of terror and I was an exile.

But I had in me the blood of warriors. The great Turenne was an ancestor of mine. Naturally when I found that I could not make a living as a woman I turned to the career of a man. I would have fought for France, but my ancestors had served their country under the royal standard bearing the fleur-de-lis. If I donned man's attire I must fight under the tricolor for the usurper Bonaparte, who was emperor by virtue of the blood of the king. No, I would not go into the army.

But I resolved to return to France. How I made my way there I can now hardly recall. I had become so used to hardship that the days I traveled on foot, the nights I slept in woods, my breakfasts of berries, my dinners—when I had them—given by some kindly farmer's wife, made no lasting impression on me.

I remember well that one day I found myself in boy's clothing at the gates of the chateau in which I was born. I asked a man passing who lived there. He said that an army contractor had bought the place from the government, which had confiscated it after cutting off the head of its owner, the Duke of Montmarville. Most women would have burst into tears. Instead, I was enraged.

"This is a world of robbery," I said, "and I will rob like the rest." I stole a pistol, but I could find no ammunition to steal and had no money to buy any. But I soon had money aplenty, for I lay in wait for the contractor who occupied my birthplace, and when he was being driven into the gate by his fat coachman I stopped the coach, ordered the driver to dismount from the box and, opening the door, presented my unloaded pistol at the occupant and demanded his money. He happened to have a well filled purse, which he tremblingly handed me.

I found money made by robbing so easy and so lucrative that I bought a horse and equipment for the road. I did not think to wear a mask. I had no cause to hide my visage. I was the daughter of a duke, but not a soul in France knew me as such or knew me at all, for that matter. I robbed only at night, and no one could see my features in the darkness. One night I stopped a coach, and after receiving the contribution of a man in it and was about to turn away he said:

"Mademoiselle, I shall know that voice if I ever hear it again. You are not a man, but a woman."

"I care not if you do," I replied. "If you should see my features or know who I am, for mine is a wrecked life, I would it had been ended, as was my father's, on the guillotine."

"Who was your father?" he asked.

But I could not bring myself to let him know of the disgrace I had brought upon my family, and, putting spurs to my horse, I rode away.

A love for a life of adventure grew upon me, and I caught the spirit of a Claude Duval.

Hearing that a ball was to be given by a person whom Bonaparte had enriched as King Louis had enriched my father, a desire seized me to attend it dressed in the apparel of my sex. Donning an ordinary woman's clothing, I went to Paris and bought a costume fit for the rank to which I was entitled. On the night of the ball I

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hired a coach, and a maid and when the entertainment was in full swing drove up to the door, alighted, went to a robing room and then down into the drawing room to the host and hostess, who were receiving their guests.

Madame looked at me in wonder, having never seen me before and uncertain whether I had been bliden or had come without an invitation. Her husband, who did not know all the guests, looked at me curiously. Their son, a man nearing thirty years of age, gazed at me with admiration as well as surprise.

"Pardon me," said his mother. "I do not recall your features."

"I am the Duchess of Mont what you like," I replied.

All looked at me in astonishment, but I saw the younger man start. He recovered his equanimity at once and, offering me his arm, led me away. As soon as we were out of hearing he turned to me and said:

"I told you that I would know your voice should I ever hear it again, and to convince you that I was right you are the highway woman who robbed me of 10 Napoleons a few months ago."

I tried to disengage my arm from his that I might take to flight, but he was stronger than I and held me.

"Fear nothing," he said. "I will keep your secret."

I never again donned man's attire. My victim persuaded me to permit him through his father to plead my cause with Bonaparte, who was endeavoring to confiscate the old nobility of France.

In the end I received back a portion of my estate, including the chateau, and I now live there peacefully with my husband, whom I robbed on the highway.

Wrinkled Prunes.

Personally we'd rather remain fat than to fall off suddenly and look wrinkly like a stewed prune.—Kansas City Star.

It is the unstewed prune that is wrinkly. Stewed prunes are plump. Where do you board?—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Darn it, the landlady assured us twice, very positively, that they had been stewed.—Kansas City Star.

Stewed twice, perhaps.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Shaming the Professor.

"You claim to be an expert in scientific research," sneered his wife.

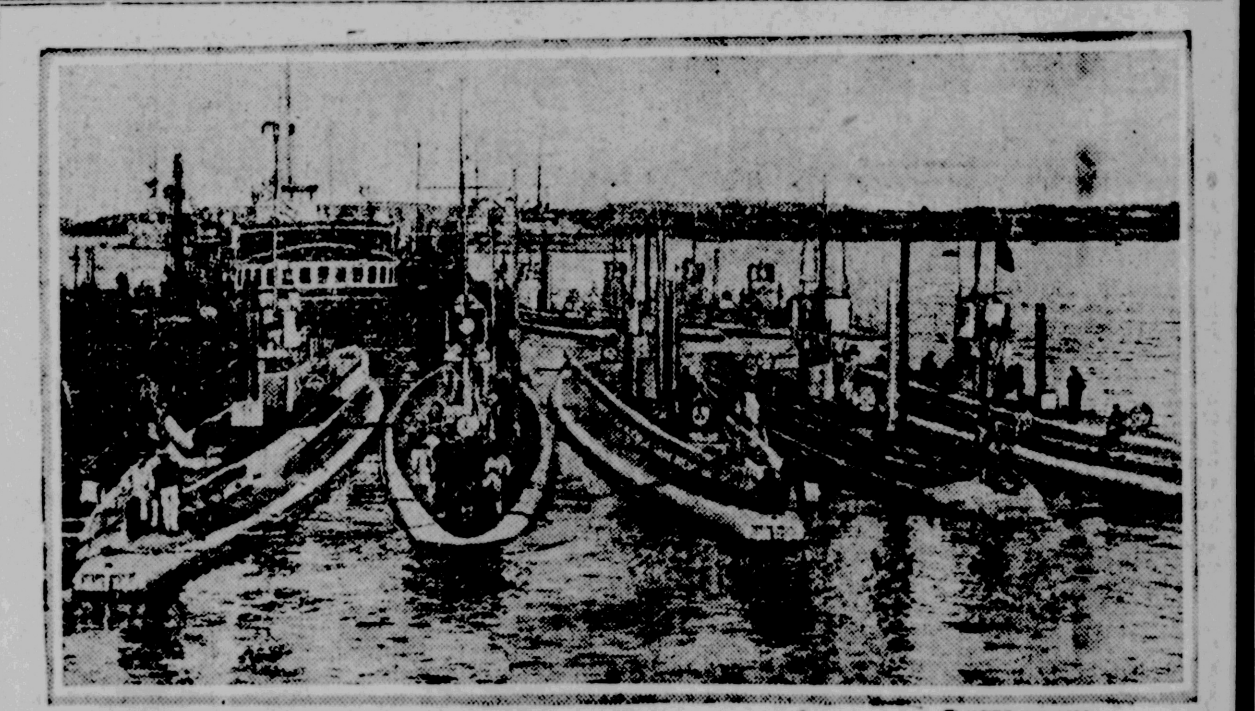
"What of it, woman?"

"And yet every day I have to find your spectacles for you."—Exchange.

Not Safe.

"Shall I lend him \$200?"

"I don't believe I would. He's one of those chaps that never lets anything worry him."—Detroit Free Press.



GERMAN SUBMARINES. A NEST OF GERMAN SUBMARINES.

According to report, the Germans are prepared for the resumption of ruthless submarine warfare with several hundred super-submarines. This picture shows a German submarine base near Kiel. These probably are only a few of the vast number of U-boats which the Germans now have ready for their war on Allied shipping.

Charm of Praha.

No traveler who has visited Rumania returns without praising the wonders of Praha. Here, after one has passed the heights of Fredeai, is a charming valley in the midst of forests, of great rocks and spouting waterfalls. The landscape evokes recollections of Switzerland, with architecture that recalls the orient. Azuga, Bustena, are seated on the bank of a tumultuous river. Farther away is Sinala. The court and the Rumanian aristocracy have built in this delightful valley their summer homes. There are no large hotels. All that made life at Bukharest is taken by summer sojourners to the shadows offered by Praha and its velvet freshness. Near Sinala the valley widens and Campina appears, the chief city of the coal lands and of the salt mines. Animals that are at liberty assemble about a block of salt to lick it, for salt, like petroleum, is everywhere.

Russians Light Drinkers.

The Russian realized perfectly well the evil effect of the use of vodka upon his fellow countrymen. We must not share the belief, disseminated by the books of dilettante travelers, that every one from Russia was a hard drinker. Far from it. Certain very considerable sections of the population did not drink at all. Such were the Mohammedans, to whom the prophet of Allah had forbidden the juice of the grape; such were the sectarians among the orthodox, who refrained on principle. Many others as well did not indulge, either from distaste or from conscientious scruples. In fact, statistical evidence shows that the people of the Russian empire consumed decidedly less alcohol per capita than the peoples of many other European countries.—Robert P. Blake in Atlantic.

To Make Sirup of Roses.

Infuse three pounds of damask rose leaves in a gallon of warm water for eight hours in a well-glazed earthen pot with a narrow mouth with stop so close that none of the virtue may escape. When they have infused so long heat the water again, squeeze them out and put in three pounds more of rose leaves to infuse for eight hours more; then press them out very hard; then to every quart of the infusion add four pounds of fine sugar and boil to a sirup.

Other People's Mistakes.

It is always so easy to find excuses for your own mistakes and so hard to understand other people's blunders. Often the girl who tries her mother by her thoughtlessness and forgetfulness has very little patience to spare when her small brother forgets some commission she has entrusted to him. Just try saving excuses till other people make mistakes. And leaving them out when you make a misstep, and see if it does not work better.

Seeking Artificial Rubber.

Artificial rubber as a by-product of the manufacture of steel may be a possibility, as English scientists are experimenting with its production from coke-oven gases.

INTERNEED CREWS GO TO ELLIS ISLAND

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, Feb. 5.—More than 2,500 men and officers of the thirty-one interned German and Austrian vessels in port here are being transported to Ellis Island this afternoon. At the island the interned seamen will face a special board of inquiry which will establish their future status in the eyes of the government.

There are 600 special federal officers now on duty at Ellis Island prepared for duty and it is not believed the interned men will be allowed to leave the immigration station until after relations between the United States and Germany are more settled.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Miss Mary Alliger, supreme court stenographer, left town Sunday for a month's stay with friends in the south.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kraus of Jersey City. Mrs. Kraus was formerly Miss Mae Reiser of Abell street.

Supervisor Joseph H. Vanderlyn of New Paltz, John R. DeVany of Ellenville and Andrew Wright Lent of Highland were in town today on legal business.

Mrs. Judson Styles, who has been spending a couple of weeks with her husband, who was sick in Jersey City, has returned to her home at No. 15 W. O'Reilly street.

Judge and Mrs. Hasbrouck left town Saturday afternoon for Miami and the other winter resorts along the Eastern Florida coast, where they will spend the month of February.

Dr. Ebbas A. Dederer of New York city, who is to take up her residence and the practice of medicine in Kingston, succeeding Dr. Mary Gaze-day, is now in town and will make her permanent residence at No. 297 Wall street.

Mrs. H. J. Wemett of Chicago, formerly Miss Florence Warren, one-time manager of the Rondout Western Union office, has left for New York enroute to Chicago, after spending the week end with Miss Mary Moser on Maiden Lane.

Miss Donna Miller of the Delicatore, one of the foremost fashion magazines of the day—particularly popular with Kingston women—is registered at the Stuyvesant. While in Kingston Miss Miller will be found in attendance at the Butterick Pattern Department of the L. B. Van Wageningen Company on Wall street.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

More than \$6,000 will be expended probably by the State Highway Department this coming summer in repaving the dangerous Roosevelt curve in the Albany Post Road, north of Poughkeepsie. The plans for the improvement have been finished.

That Orpheum Episode.

On Friday evening a disturbance was started in the Orpheum Theater when some one in the audience directed a remark at the piano player, who resented the remark immediately while the show was going on. The management has made other arrangements for music and assures patrons that no further disorder will occur in the theater. Mr. Sherry, manager of the theater, wishes to apologize to his patrons for the conduct of the pianist on Friday evening and at all times will endeavor to maintain order in his house.

Tuxedo Men Leaves Roman's.

The hotel and cafe for years conducted by P. Roman on Wall street, directly opposite the court house, will be opened today by Martin Curry, a prominent hotel man from Tuxedo, who will conduct the hotel and continue the business. The place has been closed since the death of Mr. Roman some time ago. The building is owned by William D. Ryan, who has leased it to Mr. Curry. The stock and fixtures have been bought by the new tenant.

DIED.

COLE—In this city, Sunday, February 4, 1917, at the residence of his daughter Mrs. P. A. Canfield, Sr., Rev. Solomon T. Cole.

Funeral services from the residence of his daughter, 72 McEntee street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Port Ewen Cemetery.

HARTMAN—At Whiteport, N. Y., Saturday, February 3, 1917, Joseph A. Hartman.

Funeral from his late residence on Tuesday, February 6, at 3:30 a. m. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church at 10 a. m. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

MYERS—In this city, February 3, 1917, William Myers of Calhoun, N. Y., aged 77 years.

Funeral services at the chapel of A. Carr & Son, No. 1 Pearl street, on Tuesday at 10:50 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Watson Hollow cemetery.

STEINHILBER—At Maple Hill, February 4, 1917, John George Steinhilber, in his 78th year.

Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Bloomingville cemetery.

STROKES—In this city, February 4, 1917, Byron H. Strokes, aged 25 years.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 80 Emerick street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

SHERIFF THANKED BY MAYOR MITCHEL

In answer to the message sent to Mayor Mitchell of New York Sunday, Sheriff Shultis this afternoon received the following telegram:

"Thanks for message. Believe action of governor with regard to National Guard covers situation at present. Will advise if apparent necessity for further action arises. (Signed)

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL."

SOCIETY NOTES.

The Loyal Friends' Aid Society will hold a regular meeting at the Hebrew school Tuesday evening. All members should be present.

Armory Dance Cancelled.

As the armory is closed to the public, McEnelly's concert and dance for Thursday night has been cancelled.

Lowell Club.

The Lowell Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hasten on Main street instead of with Miss Fuller as was planned.

Bradley-Hanley.

Miss Mary C. Hanley of Marlborough, and John Bradley of Brookline, were married at St. Mary's Church, Marlborough, Sunday, January 28. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James F. Hanley, an uncle of the bride, and a former assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, this city. The bride was attended by Miss Kathryn Reardon of this city, and the best man was Joseph McConrad of Marlborough. A wedding breakfast was served at St. Mary's rectory, following the ceremony. The bride is well known in Kingston where she has many friends, and the groom is a popular young man holding a responsible position with the Corn Exchange Bank in New York city.

Dietz-Moore.

Miss Elizabeth Moore, daughter of Mrs. Peter Moore, of No. 2 St. James street, and Arthur Dietz were married at the rectory of St. Joseph's Church on Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Father Brown performing the ceremony. Miss Anna Moore was the bridesmaid and the best man was Edwin Moore. A reception at the home of the bride followed the ceremony at which many guests were present, including Mr. and Mrs. L. Dietz, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dietz, James Dietz, Miss E. Doyle, W. Dietz, J. Moore, Miss E. Galbraith of the Bronx, Mrs. P. Schwank of Brooklyn, Mrs. A. Powell of Brooklyn, Carl Hept of Brooklyn, J. Sichter of Brooklyn, Mrs. J. Sneddes, Miss C. Kelly, Miss C. McSpirt, Mrs. F. Burger and son, Miss Gertrude Blackwell, Mrs. Chancery Snyder, Master F. T. Kelly, Miss C. Kelly, the Misses Mary and Madeline Lanchner of Rosendale, J. Avery, C. Harris, J. Vanderveer, W. Ingram, J. Martin, J. Carson and C. Snyder of Kingston. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and valuable gifts.

Emanon Social Club.

Mr. Marion, Feb. 5.—On January 18th, the club assembled in the home of Rodney Sagendorf, who carried out a carefully planned program of games for the entertainment of the members.

By way of diversion he had requested the presence of Mr. Brundage, who "batted" and called off a few square sets for the members.

Mr. Brundage was ably assisted by his daughter at the piano and the members certainly appreciated indulging in some of the old-time dances. Refreshments were next in order after which followed more games and then adjournment until Feb. 1.

The Misses Mabel, Jessie and Florence Bogart entertained the club members in their home at Lake Katrine on Thursday evening, Feb. 1st.

This being a regular business meeting, the matters before the club were disposed of in prompt order and then the members got down to a progressive pinochle. Prizes were awarded to Miss Anna Davis and Rodney Sagendorf for making the highest scores. Several new games were introduced by the Bogart sisters, after which intermission was announced in order to partake of some refreshments. Having satisfied their appetites, the members renewed activities and only when the lateness of the hour was learned was any thought of home-sweet-home entertained. The meeting adjourned with assurances from all present, that a most enjoyable evening had been spent.

BIG PREPAREDNESS PARADE.

John Rourke Staged One Today in City.

John Rourke, who won fame as a juror in the Van Aken murder case, again stepped into the limelight today when he staged a one man preparedness parade from the Strand to Higginsville. Armed with an American flag which he carried on a pole across one shoulder, Mr. Rourke took the center of the street and marched through the Strand and on up Broadway.

Dr. Baragwanath's Vacation.

Dr. T. H. Baragwanath, pastor of St. James's Church, is leaving the city for a few days of recuperation from the grip. On Thursday night, Mr. Harrison's Bible class will have charge of the prayer meeting. Dr. Bell, the district superintendent, will preach next Sunday.

Germany Stands Pat.

Berlin, Feb. 5.—Foreign Secretary Zimmermann, speaking for the Imperial Government, declared today that "There is to be no backward step" by Germany in the submarine situation.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, Feb. 5.—Although substantial gains were made in many issues in the initial trading on the stock exchange today, the tone was nervous and varied. During the first few minutes many stocks made gains ranging from 2 to 3 points, but quickly declined under a moderate supply. Steel Common started 2 points higher at 108, and reacted to 105; Utah Copper opened 3 points higher at 198½ and reacted to 197½; Crucible Steel rose 1½ to 59¼ and then declined to 58, and Industrial Alcohol advancing ¾, declined to 121½.

Stocks were in scant supply in the late forenoon, when gains ranging from three to five points were numerous. Steel Common was traded in on a large scale and rose to 107½, a gain of ¾ points in all. Realizing caused a reaction but it again rose to 107, Central Leather rose from 77 to 78½, Marine Common from 21¼ to 22¼, and the preferred from 65½ to 66, from which it reacted to 67¾. Fractional gains were scored by Anaconda, Utah and a number of other issues. Money lending at 2 per cent.

There were violent fluctuations in many issues in the afternoon. American Beet Sugar sold at 99, a gain of 6 points for the day, and additional upturns were made in Utah Copper and the Marine issues. Sloss-Sheffield advanced over 4 points to 56½. Central Leather sold at \$1½, an advance of 6 points. B. R. T. was exceptionally weak, losing 7 points and selling at 65.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers.....	24½
American Beet Sugar.....	99
American Car & Foundry.....	64½
American Can.....	43½
American Cotton Oil.....	25¾
American Ice Securities.....	79
American Locomotive.....	79
American Smelting & Ref. Co.....	99
American Sugar.....	129½
American Telephone & Telegraph.....	76
Anaconda Copper Mining.....	102½
Atchafalpa, Topeka & Santa Fe.....	51
Baldwin Loco.....	51
Baltimore & Ohio.....	74½
Bethlehem Steel Co.....	41¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit.....	67¾
Canadian Pacific.....	153½
Central Leather.....	80½
Chesapeake & Ohio.....	59½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.....	83½
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific.....	44
Colorado Fuel & Iron.....	44
Consolidated Gas, N. Y.....	125½
Corn Products.....	20½
Crucible Steel.....	60½
Distillers' Securities.....	24½
Erie.....	27
Erie, 1st pd.....	40½
General Electric.....	166
Goodrich Rubber.....	54½
Great Northern, pd.....	111
Great Northern Ore.....	32½
Illinois Central.....	139
Interborough Cons.....	67
Kansas City Southern.....	21¼
Louisville & Nashville.....	74½
Lehigh Valley.....	74½
Maxwell Motor, 1st pd.....	51½
Maxwell Motor, 2d pd.....	68
Mexican Petroleum.....	88½
Missouri Pacific.....	109
National Lead.....	53½
New York Central.....	95
N. Y. N. H. & O.....	139¼
New York, Ontario & Western.....	24
Norfolk & Western.....	129½
Norfolk Pacific.....	129½
Pennsylvania Railroad.....	54½
People's Gas, Chicago.....	100½
Pittsburgh Coal.....	21¼
Pressed Steel Car.....	77
Railway Steel Sp'g.....	46
Reading.....	93
Rep. Iron & Steel.....	76½
Southern Pacific.....	92½
Southern Railway.....	92½
Southern Railway, pd.....	67
Studebaker.....	100½
Tennessee Copper.....	14
Third Ave. R. R.....	40
Union Pacific.....	134½
U. S. Steel.....	107½
U. S. Steel, pd.....	118½
U. S. Rubber.....	50
Utah Copper.....	104½
Virginia Car, Chem.....	89
Western Union.....	94½
Westinghouse Electric.....	51

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

William Atkins of Winooski Lodge, in the Catskills died this morning at the Kingston City Hospital where he was a patient.

The funeral of Howard Bogardus was held from his late residence on Partition street, Saugerties, on Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. V. Wemple of the Reformed Church, officiated. Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

Ryron H. Strokes died at his home in this city on Sunday, aged 25 years. The funeral services will be held from his late residence, No. 80 Emerick street on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

Nathaniel Van Gaasbeck DuBois, son of the late James H. and Maria Rebecca DuBois, died at the residence of his brother, Tunis DuBois, No. 50 Hanratty street, on Sunday. He is survived by three brothers, Samuel, Tunis, and Richard DuBois, all of this city.

William Myers of Chichester died at 3 o'clock Saturday morning in the Kingston City Hospital, where he was taken January 15. He was about 80 years of age and resided in Chichester for the last thirty years. He is survived by two sons, Walter of Schenectady and Levan of New York. Mr. Myers was greatly respected by all who knew him and he had numerous friends.

George E. Parkhurst, proprietor of the Maxwell House, Saugerties, died Sunday morning after a brief illness. Previous to engaging in the hotel business he was a hydraulic engineer and spent several years in Russia in that profession. He is survived by a wife. The funeral will be at the Maxwell House Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Remains will be placed in the mortuary vault in Mountain View Cemetery.

NO AMERICAN SHIPS FOR ALIENS

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Washington, Feb. 5.—President Wilson this afternoon issued a proclamation forbidding any American ship owner or ship broker to sell, lease or license to any one not an American citizen any vessel flying the American flag, or to transfer the registry of any such vessel. He acted under powers conferred by the shipping board law.

EVENTS

THIS EVENING.

"The War Bride's Secret," photoplay, at Kingston Opera House.

"The Typhoon," photoplay, at Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

"The End of the Trail," photoplay at Orpheum.

Dance by the Primrose Club at Cook's Hall.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Prof. Clyde Van Siceburgh's dancing class will not meet tonight on account of the storm.

The Girls' Friendly Society will hold a dance on Thursday, February 8, at Holy Cross parish house.

The Queen Esther Circle of St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its regular monthly meeting in the church parlors on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. James's M. E. Church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors. A full attendance is desired.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Reformed Church will be held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Belle Costello, 301 Washington avenue.

Circle No. 1 of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer will hold an orange social at the home of Mrs. Gordon Richards, 27 South Prospect street, Tuesday, February 6, afternoon and evening. Everybody is invited.

The sewing meeting of the Junior Ladies' Aid Society of St. James's M. E. Church, which was postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Dimmick will be held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Merritt, 180 Albany avenue, on Wednesday afternoon.

All hungry folks are reminded that the chicken pie supper to be given by the women of Holy Cross Church at Holy Cross parish house tomorrow, Tuesday evening, from five to eight o'clock. The supper will be followed by dancing throughout the evening.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of School No. 5 will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Matthews of School No. 8 will give a talk on "How to Organize a Sewing Class." Superintendent of Schools Michael will also be present and give a talk on sewing done at the high school.

Prisoners to Make Munitions.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Albany, Feb. 5.—James M. Carter, state superintendent of prisons, has taken preliminary steps toward turning the penal institutions under his control into munition factories. This action was agreed upon today after a conference with the heads of his department.

First Regiment at Peekskill.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Newburgh, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Companies E and I of Newburgh, Company F of Walton and Company I of Middletown, of the First New York Infantry, left Newburgh today for the camp at Peekskill, under command of Major James F. Sheehan.

Best Bait for Rats.

A trap baited with sunflower seed is one of the most efficient means of catching rats.

WHY RED CROSS ASKS FINANCIAL SUPPORT

In order that the people of Kingston and Ulster county may the fuller and more clearly understand just what the Red Cross stands for and why it needs financial support, the chairman and officers of the local Ulster County Chapter have asked The Freeman to make the following statement.

In time of peace or war, the American Red Cross is a government organization, and in time of war it is officially a part of the United States army. In order to carry on the work for which congress chartered the Red Cross, it is expected to organize hospital service, nursing and instruction, to collect and distribute surgical and comfort supplies of every sort, and to act locally in the interest of the soldier and civilian. In order to comply with the orders to do this work, funds in ample amount are needed. These funds are to be received—as always—and paid out in a most business like manner. Money is paid in to the Red Cross treasurer, who is expected to have connection with some bank. Then as the funds are needed for any work whatever they are paid out by the treasurer on receipt of requisition of authorized persons, who make in writing application for money for specified needs. This money is paid out by warrant signed by the chairman and secretary of the local chapters, and at stated times, the treasurer must make his report to Washington showing a completely itemized statement of all moneys received, and for what and of all moneys paid out and from what. Thus it will be seen that the entire financial operation of the American Red Cross, which is a national organization calling for the support of every American citizen, is along strictly business lines. Furthermore the Red Cross is expected to co-operate with all other organizations desiring to help in the work and this it is now ready to do, just as soon as more detailed instructions come from Washington. The American Red Cross can compare favorably with the Red Cross of other nations which have given such nobly service during this present war, only as it is heartily supported and endorsed by the American people.

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Ambiguous.
When Bikins was away from home on a long business trip he got a letter from his wife that still puzzles him. It ended thus:
"Baby is well and lots brighter than she used to be. Hoping that you are the same, I remain, your loving wife."
—Manchester Union.

Tightwad.
"I understand that Mr. Pinchpenny has been operated on for appendicitis," remarked Miss Cayenne.
"Yes. It's the first time any one was known to get anything out of him."
"And even then they had to give him chloroform to get that."

A Genius.
"Your mother-in-law never pays you a long visit," said one man to another.
"How is that?"
"She did once, but I got my mother to come on a visit at the same time."

Never Idle.
"Dundum is a busy farmer."
"Makes hay while the sun shines, eh?"
"Yep, and raises mushrooms in the dark."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tattler.
"You didn't tell me, Bobbie, you were in a fight."
"No, sir. I knew you'd hear about it from that boy's father. That's the kind of a boy he is."—Life.

A part of your friends condemn you, others praise you; approach the condemning and keep aloof from the admiring.—Salmond.



(By La Recontense).

The sport suit of La Jerz is to be quite the thing this season, since this fabric is so readily adapted to the type of garments to be featured.

An extremely attractive model is shown here in navy blue with white wool embroidery arranged so as to suggest a military note. The collar is an interesting convertible affair, the pockets huge and square with rows of self buttons.



COUNT VON BERNSTORFF.
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That Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to the United States, will be given his passports and sent home as a result of the German note promising the resumption of ruthless submarine warfare, despite the promises to the United States, is not known to be certain in diplomatic circles here. James W. Gerard, United States Ambassador to Germany, has been recalled.



GENERAL VON HINDENBURG.
HINDENBURG IN CONTROL OF GERMAN U-BOAT WAR.

General von Hindenburg, hero of the Mazurian Lakes campaign and idol of the German people, is reported to be in almost supreme control of the German conduct of the war. It is believed that von Hindenburg counseled the resumption of ruthless submarine warfare as a means of starving out England. Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, recently deposed, was the leader of the party advocating "frightfulness." Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg did not believe in such forceful methods and succeeded in forcing von Tirpitz out. "The 'frightfulness' party apparently has come back in favor with von Hindenburg at its head.

The Older Generation.
Doesn't it strike you as disgraceful the way young women are displaying their ankles? "Ankles, granny! They're going out. Now it's knees!" —Life.

Dealing With Life's Tasks.
Take things as they come if you know what to do with them when they come. If not, make them come in the manner or quantity that you can handle them.



DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS SEVERED WITH GERMANY.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1917.
Sun rises 7:07; sets 5:22.
Weather, snow. Humidity, 62 to 68.

The Temperature.
The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 24 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 27 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Cloudy to night, with snow in the interior; cold wave in east-central portion. Tuesday generally fair; not quite so cold in south and central portions; northwest gales; gales on the coast, diminishing by Tuesday.

Prisma Reception to Freshmen.

Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Prisma Literary Society of the high school entertained the new freshmen girls of the school in a very pleasing and novel manner. The reception was held in the gymnasium where Misses Cordes and Parker poured. A great many of the faculty, including Mr. Moulton, turned in and made merry with the girls. Childhood games, such as "tag to Jerusalem" and a chair race across the gym were revived, and everyone present relaxed into a most genial mood. When the games were over the refreshments were served. Each girl of the society has previously baked a cake and added to these were chocolate and many dainties prepared by the refreshment committee. Miss Ruth Shaffer, the loveliest and candy canes of earlier days were of course put before the "green" freshmen, and all, not excluding the stern instructors, displayed their stick candy with considerable pride. The girls struck the long desired tone of good fellowship and democracy that has been so often sought for in the school with less success.

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LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

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Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hartford of West New York, formerly of Kingston, aged 5 years, died February 3. Her body was brought to Kingston on the 11 o'clock train today from Weehawken and interred in Wiltwyck Cemetery. She had been sick but two weeks. Besides her father and mother she is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. H. Webster of Brooklyn.

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Proposed Ordinance Awaiting Action of Common Council Discussed by the Rev. Mr. Larned, Rector of St. John's Church—Matter Up Tuesday Night.

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The final decision in this matter will, however, affect in no small measure the future safety of all the churches in this city. I am, therefore, assured that there will be present at that meeting tomorrow night representatives from many churches, both Protestant and Catholic, ready to voice in no uncertain way their attitude toward this most important question.

I sincerely trust that the common council will therefore not decide adversely in this matter which affects so deeply the entire religious welfare of this community. Still greater gravity has entered this question as now pending before the legislature of this state. One of these bills relates to the granting of licenses to theaters and moving picture houses of the right to operate on Sunday. The powerful moving picture corporations have openly admitted that they are ready to spend fifty or seventy-five thousand dollars to secure the passage of that bill. Even if there should be doubt as to whether a theater next to a church would interfere with its weekly meetings—can anyone reasonably question what the Sunday operation of such a theater would mean to the orderly and reverent conduct of religious services?

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Sincerely yours,
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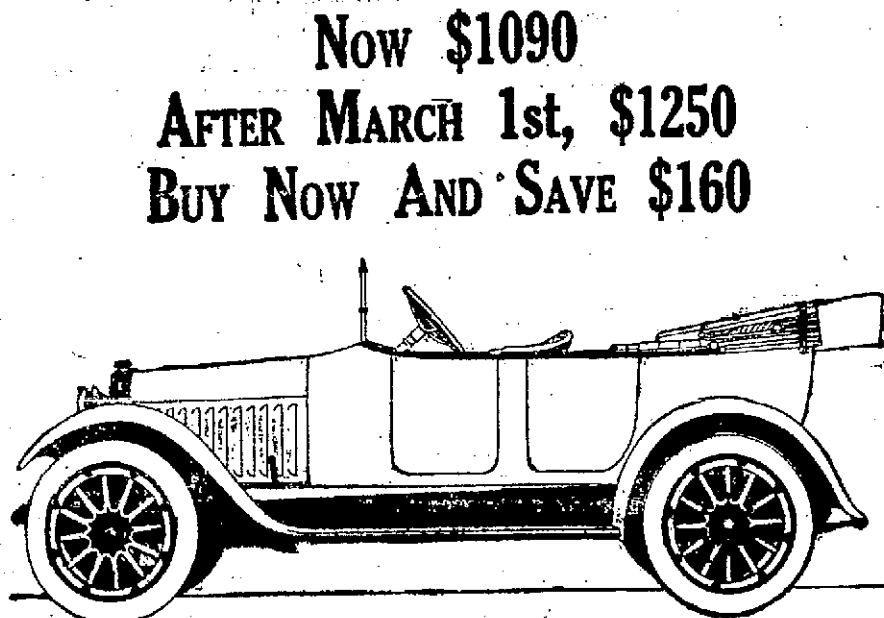
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There are 600 special federal officers now on duty at Ellis Island prepared for duty and it is not believed the interned men will be allowed to leave the immigration station until after relations between the United States and Germany are more settled.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Miss Mary Alliger, supreme court stenographer, left town Sunday for a month's stay with friends in the south.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kraus of Jersey City. Mrs. Kraus was formerly Miss Mae Reiser of Abner street.

Supervisor Joseph H. Vanderlyn of New Paltz, John R. DeVany of Ellenville and Andrew Wright of Highland were in town today on legal business.

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Dr. Elba A. Doderer of New York City, who is to take up her residence and the practice of medicine in Kingston, succeeding Dr. Mary Gage, is now in town and will make her permanent residence at No. 207 Wall street.

Mrs. H. J. Wonnert of Chicago, formerly Miss Florence Wagoner, one-time manager of the Roundout Western Union office, has left for New York en route to Chicago, after spending the week end with Miss Mary Moser on Maiden Lane.

Miss Donna Miller of the Delineator, one of the foremost fashion magazines of the day, particularly popular with Kingston women, is registered at the Statler. While in Kingston Miss Miller will be found in attendance at the Butterick Pattern Department of the L. B. Van Wageningen Company on Wall street.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

More than \$6,000 will be expended in the coming summer in repainting the dangerous Roanoke curve in the Albany Post road, north of Poughkeepsie. The plans for the improvement have been finished.

That Orpheum Episode.

On Friday evening a disturbance was started in the Orpheum Theater when some one in the audience directed a remark to the piano player who remained the remark immediately while the show was going on. The management has made other arrangements for music and ascertains patrons that no further disorder will occur in the theater. Mr. Sherry, manager of the theater, wishes to apologize to his patrons for the conduct of the pianist on Friday evening and at all times will endeavor to maintain order in his house.

Tuxedo Man Leaves Roman's.
The hotel and rate for years conducted by P. Roman on Wall street, directly opposite the court house, will be opened today by Martin Curry, a prominent hotel man from Tuxedo, who will conduct the hotel and continue the business. The place has been closed since the death of Mr. Roman some time ago. The building is owned by William D. Ryan, who has leased it to Mr. Curry. The stock and fixtures have been bought by the new tenant.

DIED.

COLE—In this city, Sunday, February 4, 1917, at the residence of his daughter Mrs. P. A. Canfield, Mr. H. Solomon Cole.

Funeral services from the residence of his daughter, 72 McKenney street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Fort Worth cemetery.

HARTMAN—At Whiteport, N. Y., Saturday, February 3, 1917, Joseph A. Hartman.
Funeral from his late residence on Tuesday, February 6, at 8:30 a. m. A mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church at 10 a. m. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

MYERS—In this city, February 3, 1917, William Myers of Calhoun, N. Y., aged 77 years.
Funeral services at the chapel of A. Carr & Son, 10 Pearl street, on Tuesday at 10:50 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Watson Hollow cemetery.

STEINHILBER—At Maple Hill, February 3, 1917, John George Steinhilber, in his 78th year.
Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Bloomingdale cemetery.

STROKES—In this city, February 4, 1917, Byron H. Strokes, aged 25 years.
Funeral from his late residence, No. 89 Emerick street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Whitwick cemetery.

SHERIFF THANKED BY MAYOR MITCHEL

In answer to the message sent to Mayor Mitchell of New York Sunday, Sheriff Shultis this afternoon received the following telegram:

"Thanks for message. Believe action of governor with regard to National Guard covers situation at present. Will advise if apparent necessity for further action arises."
(Signed)

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL.

SOCIETY NOTES.

The Loyal Friends' Aid Society will hold a regular meeting at the Hebrew school Tuesday evening. All members should be present.

Armory Dance Cancelled.

As the armory is closed to the public, McEnelly's concert and dance for Thursday night has been cancelled.

Lowell Club.

The Lowell Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Haston on Main street instead of with Miss Fuller as was planned.

Bradley-Hanley.

Miss Mary C. Bradley of Marlborough, and John Bradley of Brooklyn, were married at St. Mary's Church, Marlborough, Sunday, January 28. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James F. Hanley, an uncle of the bride, and a former assistant rector of St. Mary's Church, this city. The bride was attended by Miss Kathryn Reardon of this city, and the best man was Joseph McCard of Marlborough. A wedding breakfast was served at St. Mary's rectory, following the ceremony. The bride is well known in Kingston where she has many friends, and the groom is a popular young man holding a responsible position with the Corn Exchange Bank in New York City.

Dietz-Moore.

Miss Elizabeth Moore, daughter of Mrs. Peter Moore, of No. 2 St. James street, and Arthur Dietz were married at the rectory of St. Joseph's Church on Sunday afternoon, the Rev. Father Brown performing the ceremony. Miss Anna Moore was the bridesmaid and the best man was Edwin Moore. A reception at the home of the bride followed the ceremony at which many guests were present, including Mr. and Mrs. L. Dietz, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dietz, James Dietz, Miss E. Dietz, W. Dietz, J. Moore, Miss E. Gebhardt of Brooklyn, Mrs. A. F. Foy of Brooklyn, Carl Hoyt of Brooklyn, J. Stichter of Brooklyn, Mrs. J. Stender, Miss C. Kelly, Miss C. McSpirt, Mrs. E. Burger and son, Miss Gertrude Blackwell, Mrs. Chancery Snyder, Master F. T. Kelly, Miss C. Kelly, the Misses Mary and Madeline Lanchner of Rosendale, J. Avery, C. Harris, J. Vanderveer, W. Ingram, J. Martin, J. Carson and C. Snyder of Kingston. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and valuable gifts.

Enamoon Social Club.

Mr. Marion, Feb. 5.—On January 18th, the club assembled in the home of Rodney Sagendorf, who carried out a carefully planned program of games for the entertainment of the members. By way of diversion he had requested the presence of Mr. Brundage, who "bided" and called off a few square sets for the members. Mr. Brundage was ably assisted by his daughter at the piano and the members certainly appreciated indulging in some of the old-time dances.

Refreshments were next in order after which followed more games and then adjournment until Feb. 11.

The Misses Mabel, Jessie and Florence Bogart entertained the club members in their home at Lake Katrine on Thursday evening, Feb. 1st. This being a regular business meeting, the matters before the club were disposed of in prompt order, and then the members got down to a progressive bridge. Prizes were awarded to Miss Anna Davis and Rodney Sagendorf for making the highest scores. Several new games were introduced by the Bogart sisters, after which intermission was announced in order to partake of some refreshments. Having satisfied their appetites, the members renewed activities and only when the lateness of the hour was learned, was any thought of home-sweet-home entertained. The meeting adjourned with assurances from all present, that a most enjoyable evening had been spent.

BIG PREPAREDNESS PARADE.

John Bourke Staged One Today in City.

John Bourke, who won fame as a juror in the Van Aken murder case, again stepped into the limelight today when he staged a one man preparedness parade from the Strand to Higginsville. Armed with an American flag which he carried on a pole across one shoulder Mr. Bourke took the center of the street and marched through the Strand and on up Broadway.

Dr. Baragwanath's Location.

Dr. T. H. Baragwanath, pastor of St. James' Church, is leaving the city for a few days of recuperation from the grip. On Thursday night Mr. Harrison's Bible class will have charge of the prayer meeting. Dr. Bell, the district superintendent, will preach next Sunday.

Germany Stands Pat.

Berlin, Feb. 5.—Foreign Secretary Zimmermann, speaking for the imperial government, declared today that "there is to be no backward step" by Germany in the submarine situation.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, Feb. 5.—Although substantial gains were made in many issues in the initial trading on the stock exchange today, the tone was nervous and varied. During the first few minutes many stocks made gains ranging from 2 to 3 points, but quickly declined under a moderate supply. Steel Common started 2 points higher at 108, and reacted to 105. Utah Copper opened 2 points higher at 103 1/2 and reacted to 107 1/2. Crucible Steel rose 1 1/2 to 59 1/2 and then declined to 58, and industrial Alcohol advancing 2, declined to 121 1/2.

Stocks were in scant supply in the late forenoon, when gains ranging from three to five points were numerous. Steel Common was traded in on a large scale and rose to 107 1/2, a gain of 3 1/2 points in all. Realizing caused a reaction but it again rose to 107. Central Leather rose from 77 to 78 1/2. Marine Common from 21 1/4 to 22 1/4, and the preferred from 65 1/4 to 66, from which it reacted to 67 1/4. Fractional gains were scored by Anaconda, Utah and a number of other issues. Mourey loading at 2 per cent.

There were violent fluctuations in many issues in the afternoon. American Beet Sugar sold at 99, a gain of 6 points for the day, and additional upturns were made in Utah Copper and the Marine issues. Sloss-Sheffield advanced over 4 points to 56 1/2. Central Leather sold at 81 1/2, an advance of 6 points. R. R. T. was exceptionally weak, losing 7 points and selling at 66.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Alcoa Common	103 1/2
American Beet Sugar	99
American Car & Foundry	103 1/2
American Can	103 1/2
American Cotton Oil	103 1/2
American Ice Securities	25 1/2
American Locomotive	79
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	92
American Sugar	103 1/2
American Telephone & Telegraph	70
Anaconda Copper	103 1/2
Archison, Topka & Santa Fe	103 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	51
Baldmore & Ohio	75 1/2
Bedford Steel Co.	113
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	67 1/2
Canadian Pacific	150 1/2
Central Leather	107 1/2
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	59 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	85 1/2
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	41
Consolidated Gas, N. Y. & L.	103 1/2
Coca Products	20 1/2
Crucible Steel	107 1/2
Dillards' Securities	24 1/2
Erie	47
Erie, 1st pfd.	40 1/2
General Electric	169
Goodrich Rubber	54 1/2
Great Northern, pfd.	113
Great Northern Ore	35 1/2
Illinois Central	132 1/2
Inter. Com. pfd.	67 1/2
Kansas City Southern	21 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	74 1/2
Lehigh Valley	74 1/2
Maxwell Motor	51 1/2
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd.	68
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd.	65 1/2
Maxwell Petroleum	65 1/2
Missouri Pacific	53 1/2
National Lead	99
New York Central	130 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & H.	130 1/2
New York, Ontario & Western	21
Norfolk & Western	129 1/2
Norfolk Pacific	104 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	104 1/2
People's Gas, Chicago	100 1/2
Pittsburgh Coal	21 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	77 1/2
Railway Steel Spg.	46 1/2
Reading Iron	83
Rep. Iron & Steel	70 1/2
Southern Pacific	92 1/2
Southern Railway	28 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd.	67
Studebaker	100 1/2
Tennessee Copper	74
Third Ave. R. R.	40
Union Pacific	134 1/2
U. S. Steel	107 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	103 1/2
U. S. Rubber	103 1/2
Utah Copper	103 1/2
Virginia Car. Chem.	38
Western Union	91 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	91

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

William Atkins of Winstonsburg, N. Y., died at his late residence on Monday morning at the Kingston City Hospital where he was a patient.

The funeral of Howard Bogart was held from his late residence on Partridge street, Saugerties, on Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. V. Wemple, of the Reformed Church, officiated. Interment was in Mountain View cemetery.

Byron H. Strokes died at his home in this city on Sunday, aged 25 years. The funeral services will be held from his late residence, No. 89 Emerick street on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Whitwick cemetery.

Nathaniel Van Gassbeck DuBois, son of the late James H. and Maria Rebecca DuBois, died at the residence of his brother, Tunis DuBois, No. 50 Hanover street, on Sunday. He is survived by three brothers, Samuel, Tunis, and Richard DuBois, all of this city.

William Myers of Chichester died at 3 o'clock Saturday morning in the Kingston City Hospital, where he was taken January 15. He was about 80 years of age and resided in Chichester for the last thirty years. He is survived by two sons, Walter of Schenectady and Loran of New York. Mr. Myers was greatly respected by all who knew him and he had numerous friends.

George E. Parkhurst, proprietor of the Maxwell House, Saugerties, died Sunday morning after a brief illness. Previous to engaging in the hotel business he was a hydraulic engineer and spent several years in Russia in that profession. He is survived by a wife. The funeral will be at the Maxwell House Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Remains will be placed in the mortuary vault in Mountain View cemetery.

NO AMERICAN SHIPS FOR ALIENS

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Feb. 5.—President Wilson this afternoon issued a proclamation forbidding any American ship owner or ship broker to sell, lease or license to any one not an American citizen any vessel flying the American flag, or to transfer the registry of any such vessel. He acted under powers conferred by the shipping board law.

EVENTS.

THIS EVENING.

"The War Bride's Secret," photoplay, at Kingston Opera House.

"The Typhoon," photoplay, at Y. M. C. Auditorium.

"The End of the Trail," photoplay, at Orpheum.

Dance by the Primrose Club at Cook's Hall.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Prof. Clyde Van Steenburgh's dancing class will not meet tonight on account of the storm.

The Girls' Friendly Society will hold a dance on Thursday, February 8, at Holy Cross parish house.

The Queen Esther Circle of St. James' Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its regular monthly meeting in the church parlors on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. James' M. E. Church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors. A full attendance is desired.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Reformed Church will be held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Belle Costello, 301 Washington avenue.

Circle No. 1 of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer will hold an orange social at the home of Mrs. Gordon Richards, 27 South Prospect street, Tuesday, February 6, afternoon and evening. Everybody is invited.

The sewing meeting of the Junior Ladies' Aid Society of St. James' M. E. Church, which was postponed on account of the death of Mrs. Dimmick, will be held at the home of Mrs. W. L. Merritt, 180 Albany avenue, on Wednesday afternoon.

All hungry folks are reminded that the chicken pie supper to be given by the women of Holy Cross Church at Holy Cross parish house tomorrow, Tuesday evening from five to eight o'clock. The supper will be followed by dancing throughout the evening.

The Parent-Teachers Association of School No. 5 will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Matthews of School No. 8 will give a talk on "How to Organize a Sewing Class." Superintendent of Schools Michael will also be present and give a talk on sewing done at the high school.

Prisoners to Make Munitions.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Albany, Feb. 5.—James M. Carter, state superintendent of prisons, has taken preliminary steps toward turning the penal institutions under his control into munition factories. This action was agreed upon today after a conference with the heads of his department.

First Regiment at Peekskill.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Newburgh, N. Y., Feb. 5.—Companies E and I of Newburgh, Company F of Walton and Company I of Middletown, of the First New York Infantry, left Newburgh today for the camp at Peekskill, under command of Major James P. Sheridan.

Best Bait for Rats.

A trap baited with sunflower seeds is one of the most efficacious means of catching rats.

WHY RED CROSS ASKS FINANCIAL SUPPORT

In order that the people of Kingston and Ulster county may the fuller and more clearly understand just what the Red Cross stands for and why it needs financial support, the chairman and officers of the local Ulster County Chapter have asked The Freeman to make the following statement:

In time of peace or war, the American Red Cross is a government organization, and in time of war it is officially a part of the United States army. In order to carry on the work for which congress chartered the Red Cross, it is expected to organize hospital service, nursing aid, and instruction, to collect and distribute surgical and comfort supplies of every sort, and to act locally in the interest of the soldier and civilian. In order to comply with the orders to do this work, funds in ample amount are needed. These funds are to be received—always in a most business like manner. Money is paid in to the Red Cross treasurer, who is expected to have connection with some bank. Then as the funds are needed for any work whatever, they are paid out by said treasurer on receipt of regulation of authorized persons, who make in writing application for money for specified needs. This money is paid out by warrant signed by the chairman and secretary of the local chapters, and at stated times, the treasurer must make his report to Washington showing a completely itemized statement of all moneys received, and for what and of all moneys paid out and from what. Thus it will be seen that the entire financial operation of the American Red Cross, which is a national organization calling for the support of every American citizen, is along strictly business lines. Furthermore the Red Cross is expected to co-operate with all other organizations desiring to help in the work and this it is now ready to do, just as soon as more detailed instructions come from Washington. The American Red Cross can compare favorably with the Red Cross of other nations which have given such noble service during this present war, only as it is heartily supported and endorsed by the American people.

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An extremely attractive model is shown here in navy blue with white wool embroidery arranged so as to suggest a military note. The collar is an interesting convertible affair, the pockets huge and square with rows of self buttons.

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FRANK R. POWLEY.

Vice-Chairman.

MRS. M. E. FESSENDEN.

Secretary.

JOSEPH M. SCHAEFFER.

Ambassadors.

When Bilkus was away from home on a long business trip he got a letter from his wife that still puzzles him. It ended thus: "Baby is well and lots brighter than she used to be. Hoping that you are the same. I remain your loving wife."—Manchester Union.

Tips and Tricks.

"I understand that Mr. Pinchpenny has been operated on for appendicitis," remarked Miss Cayenne.
"Yes. It's the first time any one was known to get anything out of him."
"And even then they had to give him chloroform to get that!"

A Genius.

"Your mother-in-law never pays you a long visit," said one man to another.
"How is that?"
"She did once, but I got my mother to come on a visit at the same time."

Never Idle.

"Dundum is a busy farmer."
"Makes hay while the sun shines, eh?"

"Yes, and raises mushrooms in the dark."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tattler.

"You didn't tell me, Robbie, you were in a fight."
"No, sir. I knew you'd hear about it from that bar's father. That's the kind of a boy he is."—Life.

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COUNT VON BERNSTORFF.

VON BERNSTORFF WILL BE GIVEN HIS PASSPORTS.

That Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to the United States, will be given his passports and sent home as a result of the German note promising the resumption of ruthless submarine warfare, despite the promises to the United States, is not known to be certain in diplomatic circles here. James W. Gerard, United States Ambassador to Germany, has been recalled.

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GENERAL VON HINDENBURG.

HINDENBURG IN CONTROL OF GERMAN U-BOAT WAR.

General von Hindenburg, hero of the Mazurian Lakes campaign, and idol of the German people, is reported to be in almost supreme control of the German conduct of the war. It is believed that von Hindenburg counseled the resumption of ruthless submarine warfare as a means of starving Great Britain. Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, recently deposed, was the leader of the party advocating "fraternalism." Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg did not believe in such forceful methods and succeeded in forcing von Tirpitz out. The "fraternalism" party apparently has come back in favor with von Hindenburg at its head.

The Older Generation.

Doesn't it strike you as strange that the very young women are displaying their ankles? "Ankle, ankle! There's going out. Now it's knees!"—Life.

Dealing With Life's Tasks.

Take things as they come if you can. If you can't, make them come to you. If not, make them come to the manner or quantity that you can do them.



AMBASSADOR GERARD.

SECRETARY LANSING.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1917.
Sun rises 7:07; sets 5:22.
Weather, snow. Humidity, 62 to 68.

The Temperature.
The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 24 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 27 degrees.

Weather Forecast.
Washington, Feb. 5.—Cloudy tonight with snow in the interior; cold wave in east-central portion. Tuesday generally fair; not quite so cold in south and central portions; northwest gales; rains on the coast, diminishing by Tuesday.

Prism Reception to Freshmen.

Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Prism Literary Society of the high school entertained the new freshmen girls of the school in a very pleasing and novel manner. The reception was held in the gymnasium where Misses Cordes and Parker poured. A great many of the faculty, including Mr. Moulton, turned in and made merry with the girls. Childhood games, such as "going to Jerusalem" and a chair race across the gym were revived, and everyone present relaxed into a most genial mood. When the games were over the refreshments were served. Each girl of the society has previously baked a cake and added to these were chocolate and many dainties prepared by the refreshment committee. Miss Ruth Shafer. The lull pops and candy canes of earlier days were of course put before the "green" freshmen, and all, not excluding the stern instructors, displayed their stick candy with considerable pride. The girls struck the long desired tone of good fellowship and democracy that has been so often sought for in the school with less success.

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Prof. Clyde Van Steenburgh's dancing class will not meet this evening on account of the snow storm.

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MUSIC AT A BARGAIN.

We offer for this week a large assortment of sheet music listed at 10 cents to 50 cents a sheet, in rolls, 4 sheets in a roll at 5 and 10 cents. Not over 3 rolls to a customer. Mail orders filled. O'REILLY'S, 530 Broadway.

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GIRLS WIN FROM MECHANICSVILLE

The girls of the high school scooped in another basketball victory Saturday afternoon, trouncing the Mechanicsville High School Five by a 20-10 score at the upper-Hudson village—the first pitched battle between damsels of the two sections.

Though both factions fought a hard battle the superior marksmanship of the well-seasoned Kingston team decided the outcome. The game was staged on the court of the new high school building and the girls were given every attention. About two hundred comprised the audience. The Ulster athletes were quick to grasp every opportunity which offered itself for scoring so that before their opponents had got their bearings at the end of the first half, Kingston was trailing Mechanicsville on the tag-end of the 15-2 score. Caesar pierced the opposing phalanx for the two tallies of the up-staters.

Time improved Mechanicsville's playing greatly so that the final half ended with an 8-5 score in their favor.

Boys' rules were used and as a result Miss Joslovitz and Miss Wood of the locals entered the spotlight sharing the honors with Miss Sadoff who tallied nine points.

Next Saturday the Mechanicsville girls are billed to play a return game here. The lineup follows:

Kingston.	FW	FP	TP
Safford, M.	4	1	0
Hurler, H.	0	1	1
Joslovitz, C.	2	0	0
Wood, E.	3	0	0
Schmidt, E.	0	0	0
Bruyn, sub	0	0	0
Totals	9	2	20

MECHANICSVILLE.

FW	FP	TP
Moore, H.	3	0
Carlton, H.	1	0
Burhans, C.	0	0
Hibbels, R.	0	0
Caesar, H.	1	0
Silver, R.	0	0
Totals	5	0

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

George John Steinhilber died at his home at Maple Hill on Sunday, February 4, aged 78 years. The funeral will be held from his residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will take place in the Bloomingdale Cemetery.

Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harford of West New York, formerly of Kingston, aged 5 years died February 3. Her body was brought to Kingston on the 11 o'clock train today from Westchester and interred in Wiltwyck Cemetery. She had been sick but two weeks. Besides her father and mother she is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. H. Webster of Brooklyn.

Rev Solomon T. Cole died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. P. A. Canfield, Sr., Sunday morning after a brief illness. Stricken with apoplexy Friday evening about 6 o'clock he passed from this life to the life eternal Sunday morning at 8:50. Rev. Solomon T. Cole was married on September 15, 1864, to Miss Cornelia Perkins, daughter of E. K. Perkins, of this city. Mrs. Cole passed away in August, 1900. He leaves to mourn his loss one daughter, Mrs. P. A. Canfield, Sr., of this city, and two sons, Chester of Seneca Falls, N. Y., and Edwin, of Saugerties, N. Y. He was a graduate of Rutgers College and also took the Theological Course in the New Brunswick Seminary of New Brunswick, N. J., graduating in 1864. He was ordained to the ministry of the Reformed Church in 1864 and was called to the following churches: Plattekill Church, now Mt. Marion, 1864-65; Poughkeepsie, N. J., 1865-72; Schaghticoke, 1872-79; Westerlo, 1879-82; Tyre, 1882-84; Plattekill, now Mt. Marion, 1884-91. Between 1891-96 Rev. Mr. Cole was compelled from illness to retire from active work, but resumed his work at Esopus in 1896, working there for three years and in 1899 he retired from the active work of the ministry, but continued to supply different churches as requested, and only a week ago he conducted a funeral service in Saugerties, N. Y., being active to the end of his life's work. Funeral services will be held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. P. A. Canfield, Sr., 72 McEntee street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment in Port Jervis Cemetery.

Joseph A. Hartman died at his late home in Hickory Bush at 12 o'clock on Saturday, February 3. Mr. Hartman or "Josie" as he was more familiarly known to his friends, was born in Switzerland 75 years ago on January 3. At an early age his parents moved to Germany and when he was nine years old they immigrated to this country. As the family was large Joe was hired out to a lawyer in New York city for an errand boy and in return for this service the attorney was to provide him with a home, clothes and to give him an education. Mr.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Kingston Council, No. 275, Knights of Columbus, in K of C Home, Broadway, corner Andrew street.

St. Peter's Commandery, Knights of St. John, in St. Peter's School Hall.

Rondout Lodge, No. 343, F. and A. M., in Masonic Hall, Strand, corner of Broadway.

The first degree will be conferred by the Kingston Encampment, No. 125, I. O. O. F., at 835 Broadway.

Franklin Lodge No. 37, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Hall, corner Wall and John streets.

Kingston Lodge No. 10, Free and Accepted Masons, has secured the Rev. Madison C. Peters of New York city to deliver a lecture before the members of the lodge on Tuesday evening, February 20, on "Masonry and the Makers of America." The Rev. Dr. Peters is one of the best known clergymen in New York city and one of the foremost lecturers in America. His lecture has created great enthusiasm among the New York city lodges, where it has been delivered fifty times since the first of December. Kingston Lodge is fortunate in securing Dr. Peters and his lecture is most appropriate at this time. A large attendance of members is anticipated.

Play to be Repeated.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church has been urged to repeat the play, "Business Meeting of Ladies' Aid at Mohawk Crossroads," and have consented. On February 5, at 8 p. m. in the church parlors, you will again see a real business meeting of "Ye Long Ago." Their costumes, many of them are real old time "dresses and hats," and the cast looks quaint and sweet. Old time will turn back about seventy years in his flight and rest just for a little time in the parlor of the old church. A fine program will satisfy all lovers of entertainment. Tuesday evening, February 6.

Working to Music.

It is claimed that music makes work easier. A Cincinnati dry-cleaning establishment has put this theory to the test by installing a good phonograph in their work-room. Great care is used in selecting the records.

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Hartman stayed with this lawyer until shortly after the Civil War broke out when he enlisted in the 47th N. Y. Volunteers, and went to the front, where he participated in many battles, especially in the Peninsula campaign with Gen. McClellan. After serving his first enlistment and being discharged, he returned to New York city and for a time worked for his former boss, but hard times had taken a grip on the country and he was obliged to look elsewhere for employment. In company with a few other friends he started out of New York city and followed the Hudson river north inquiring for work. When he reached Stanburg he secured employment as a farm hand on the estate of the late William B. Dinsmore, where he remained for two years, when he came to Ulster county and secured employment in the cement manufacturing business at Whiteport. This work he followed for a number of years and then started a stage line from Hickory Bush to Rondout, carrying both freight and passengers. While following this vocation he gained a large circle of friends and acquaintances in the lower end of the city, where his jovial manner and pleasing countenance endeared him to many people. Eight years ago when the cement business had gotten very poor, he gave up staging and lived a quiet life with his wife at Hickory Bush, keeping a small notion store and doing odd jobs for his neighbors and friends. Mr. Hartman was married to his first wife, Mrs. Mary Mooney, who he married twenty-five years ago and who survives him. The funeral will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock from the home and 10 o'clock from St. Mary's Church, this city, with interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, this city.

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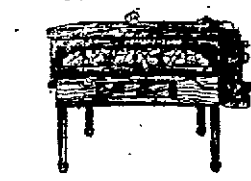
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